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THE MORNING'S NEWS —IN— The Times IN BRIEF.

The City—Pages 9, 10, 11, 12, 25, 26, 30

A bicycle rider fatally injured by a collision with a milk wagon....Examination of the men charged with the Puente murder....Large business block menaced by fire....Reception to the new Salvation Army leader....A Los Angeles bunco-man caught in Milwaukee....Rival lighting companies at war....Nevada newspaper men visiting the city....Sixth Ward Republicans lining up....Woman Suffragists getting together....Young toughs tore up a veteran soldier's papers....Oratorical contest at the Y. M. C. A. rooms....A great scheme for finding lost property....Flag-raising at public schools.

Southern California—Page 33.

Funeral of J. de Barth Shorb at San Gabriel Mission....End of Santa Barbara's Flower Festival....The hotel men reach San Diego safely....Cottage burned at Santa Monica....Peculiar verdict in a liquor case at San Bernardino....Sale of a street-railway franchise at Riverside....Republican primaries....A Pomona faith-cure apostle arrested for criminal neglect....New trial wanted for Southern at Santa Ana....Death of the father of South Riverside.

Pacific Coast—Page 3.

San Diego county Republicans declare for McKinley for President and indorse U. S. Grant, Jr., for delegate-at-large....John Costello found guilty of manslaughter for killing James Loughran....Death of a Prescott man disorganizes a large party of gold-hunters....Gov. Franklin takes the oath of office at Phoenix....Charles D. Lane strikes it rich in Arizona....Damages assessed against the Southern Pacific....Freight shipments to Nicaragua delayed by the war...."Dick" McDonald again a free man.

General Eastern—Pages 1, 2, 3.

The great harbor hearing is completed—San Pedro's appropriation is assured—Slauson tries to counteract the effect of Mitchell's talk....The House listens to eulogies of a deceased member—The General Deficiency Bill reported....The Dauntless bicycle factory and other property at Toledo burned....An Ottawa woman freezes her grandchildren and feeds them kerosene....Chauncey M. Depew lauds G. Cleveland's financial ideas....Sensational developments in the Hibben case...Germs of noxious diseases killed by the X rays....Cardinal Satolli discredits the report of the Pope's proposed mediation with Spain....The greater part of Three Rivers, Quebec, is inundated....The K. of P. Uniformed Rank to meet at Cleveland....J. E. Perry kills his mother with a hatchet at Wallace, Idaho....Prisoners shot at Moro Castle.

By Cable—Pages 1, 2, 3.

The Matabeles closing in on the British at Buluwayo—Over fifty natives killed by a sortie of the defenders. Military men discredit Gov. Robinson's statement that there is no danger—An awful mistake likely....American missionaries blockaded in their houses by Turks....Great elation at the Aldershot camp over the orders to embark for South Africa....Cecil Rhodes recovers from his illness...The weekly German letter....Gossip from Great Britain.

At Large—Pages 1, 2, 3.

Dispatches were also received from Cincinnati, Philadelphia, Chicago, Washington, Evansville, Ind.; Wilmington, Del.; Chattanooga, Tenn.; Louisville, Ky.; St. Louis, Denver, London, Lebanon, Pa., and other places.

Financial and Commercial—Page 32.

Receipts of currency from the interior at New York lighter last week than was expected....Spot wheat closes firm at Liverpool....Dressed beef better at Chicago....Crop reports at Chicago give a good account of progress made by the wheat plant....Speculation in industrial shares at New York....Coast quotations.

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—For Southern California—Showers tonight, and scattered showers Sunday, especially in the mountains; colder Sunday, except in the extreme northwest portion; brisk to high westerly winds.

A FEMALE FIEND.

Freezes Her Grandchildren and Feeds Them on Kerosene.

OTTAWA (Ont.,) April 18.—Mrs. Bell, for cruelty to her grandchildren, was today sentenced to life imprisonment. She punished a boy of 15 and a girl of 16 with the most fiendish tortures her ingenuity could devise. Stripping them to the thinnest clothing she would soak them in water and compel them to sit before open windows when the temperature was several degrees below zero until their attire was frozen stiff. On one occasion the boy was kept at work in the cold improperly clad until his toes were frozen and dropped off. The children were fed victuals mixed with noxious fluids like kerosene, turpentine and worse.

Says He Can Make Gold.

CHICAGO, April 18.—A special to the Times-Herald from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, says that a young man named Johnson, residing in Jefferson county, a graduate of Columbia College, who has been experimenting with the X rays, thinks he has made an important discovery. By means of what he called the X rays, he is enabled to change in three hours' time a cheap piece of metal worth a few cents, to $154 worth of gold. The metal transformed has been tested and is pronounced pure gold.

IN FRONT RANK

San Diego County Out for McKinley.

U. S. Grant, Jr., is Indorsed for Delegate-at-Large.

The Republican Convention Has Defied the Bosses.

Democrats Indorse Cleveland's Administration—Populists Confer at Denver—People's Party of Missouri Opposed to Bland.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TIMES.)

SAN DIEGO, April 18.—(Special Dispatch.) San Diego Republicans did nobly in convention today by instructing the delegates elected to the Congress and State conventions for McKinley for President, U. S. Grant, Jr., as delegate-at-large and W. W. Bowers as Congressman. The outcome of the convention was an overwhelming victory for the people as against the bosses. Every effort to leave delegates uninstructed proved a failure.

The convention was ready to receive the report of the Committee on Resolutions when Seantor Withington sprung an objection to a woman-suffrage plank, agreeing to all other planks. D. C. Reed, who had moved the adoption of the resolutions as a whole in the interest of harmony, agreed to the segregation of the suffrage plank, whereupon the convention, with a great degree of unanimity, proceeded to declare in favor of suffrage. The resolutions indorsing and instructing for McKinley, U. S. Grant, Jr., and W. W. Bowers were unanimously adopted. A leading Republican states that this action by the convention is the entering wedge of the death of bossism in this county. The resolutions say in part:

"The Republicans of San Diego county heartily indorse the course of their Representative in Congress, Hon. W. W. Bowers, and recognize in him a true Republican, who cannot be swerved from the path of duty by corporate greed or politcal power. That we express our appreciation of U. S. Grant, Jr., as a man eminently fitted for the position of delegate-at-large from the State of California to the Republican National Convention; that the delegates to the State convention be instructed to use all honorable means to secure the election of U. S. Grant, Jr., as a delegate to St. Louis."

Of the McKinley resolutions say that "Of all the illustrious statemen of our party now mentioned for the Presidency, it is our belief that he is justly received with most widespread and enthusiastic favor throughout our great republic and is the logical and most available candidate to lead the Republican hosts to splendid victory assured them by the wisdom of Providence and the incapacity of the Democracy."

The Democratic County Convention today indorsed Cleveland's administration and Oscar Trippet as district delegate to Chicago, favoring the use of gold and silver, providing both dollars be of equal intrinsic and exchangeable value.

A POPULIST CONFERENCE.

DENVER (Colo.,) April 18.—A meeting of the prominent Populists of Colorado was held today at which the situation was discussed. Thomas M. Patterson presided, and Gen. J. B. Weaver and H. E. Taubeneck, chairman of the National Populist Committee, were present. Gen. Weaver had just come from Oregon, where he says he believes the Democrats and Populists will combine and carry the State. The general condition of the Populist party in the nation, and the relation it should bear toward the new silver party were discussed.

Chairman Patterson made a strong plea for an amalgamation of all the silver forces, regardless of party. Mr. Taubeneck followed in the same strain. He counselled conservatism in the party, urging that it was best to secure one plank in the platform first, and then reach out for others. He expressed the belief that the silver party had more than a fighting chance, if only the proper precautions were taken to give the people acceptable candidates.

CHAUNCEY CHANTS GROVER'S PRAISES.

NEW YORK, April 18.—The Montauk Club of Brooklyn tonight gave a dinner in honor of Chauncey M. Depew's birthday. Around the board were gatherd many of the most distinguished citizens of Brooklyn. Mr. Depew was called upon for a speech at the close of the feast. The unique feature of his address was his reference to Grover Cleveland. Speaking of the President, he said:

"While I differ widely from President Cleveland on almost every part of his public policy; while I think his theories, so far as they have been practically carried out, have been disastrous, and if wholly carried out, would have been fatal to our industries, nevertheless, in the frankness and the fairness of this platform, it is due him to say today that the rout of the free-coinage-of-silver policy and the energizing of the national credit by the triumph of sound money, are more largely due to his throwing upon that side with magnificent courage and ability the whole strength and power of his great office, and of his administration than to anything else.

"While we have had a period of distress which has brought so much suffering to millions of homes, and while the cost has been more than that of a disastrous war, yet the suffering has not been in vain, and the cost has not been lost, if it shall have gained for us in education, by discussion, and by the experiences of our people, the death of the absurdities of populism and the triumph of more sound-money currency which shall keep this the great trading, business and commercial nation of the world."

THINKS ALLISON WILL GROW.

DES MOINES (Iowa,) April 18.—H. G. McMillen, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, who has been in charge of Senator Allison's Iowa campaign, has returned to this city after a short absence. He issued a statement through the press to the effect that the friends of Senator Allison, which include all Iowa Republicans, would begin at once to organize to make a fine showing of the State at the St. Louis convention. He stated that after a careful analysis of the situation he was convinced that the Iowa man was stronger today than he has been at any time during the active convass.

He said: "It is plain to all that there will be no nomination on one of the early ballots, and when it comes to a protracted balloting Allison will grow, because he is a man who is safe and on whom all factions can unite."

BARNES AS A "SPELLBINDER."

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—A year ago the National Republican Committee made Gen. W. H. L. Barnes an offer to take the stump throughout the East in the interests of the policy and candidates of the Republican party. Gen. Barnes has decided to accept the offer, and is at present making most active preparations for a prolonged visit to the East.

After the Republican convention shall have been held at St. Louis the general will leave California. His powers as a "spellbinder" will be exerted in Chicago, Philadelphia, Cincinnati, St. Louis, New York and all the large eastern cities. The fact that Gen. Barnes as an orator gained fresh fame when the opportunity came to compare the charm of his spoken words with the gifted speech of the redoubtable Dr. Chauncey M. Depew, is so recently in evidence as to need no comment.

THE SIXTH NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, April 18.—The Sixth Republican Congress District Convention assembled last night and elected J. Franklin Fort and Charles Bradley delegates to the St. Louis convention.

LASSEN'S CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

SUSANVILLE, April 18.—The Republican Central Committee today appointed Jules Alexander, John Cahlan, E. V. Spencer, delegates to the State convention. They were instructed for McKinley first, last and all the time.

OPPOSITION TO BLAND.

ST. LOUIS (Mo.,) April 18.—Chairman A. Roselle of the People's Party State Committee today declared that the Populists of Missouri would not support ex-Congressman Bland if the latter should be nominated for the Presidency on a silver platform. He did not think that the adoption of a silver platfrm by the Democrats at Sedalia the other day would affect the Populist vote in this State.

Continuing, he said: "The 45,000 Populists of Missouri are going to stand firm, no matter what the Democracy does at Chicago. We will get at least 10,000 votes from the Republicans in this State, and with the secession from the Democratic rinks we are going to mix things mightily in Missouri this

AN EGREGIOUS BLUNDER.

COLUMBUS (O.,) April 18.—W. W. Lanning desires to say that the chairman of the National Advisory Board of the A.P.A. made a misstatement to the Associated Press in Boston in saying that Gov. McKinley had turned Lanning down as a candidate for oil inspector because of his prominence in the order.

A WOMAN IN THE CASE.

S. B. HIBBEN'S MYSTERIOUS ACTS ARE EXPLAINED.

He is Alleged to Have Been Discovered by a Cop Near th Quarters of a Would-be Mrs. Hibben. The Sure-enough Wife Flies to Her Ma.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TIMES.)

CHICAGO, April 18.—(Special Dispatch.) There were sensational developments today in the Hibben case, as it is now called by the police. Mrs. Hibben has deserted her husband and child and gone with her mother to Lebanon, Ind., her old home. Mrs. Hibben learned this morning that there was a woman in the case, and she says she never wants to see her husband's face again.

When Hibben went to Los Angeles some years ago, he was a widower, and had an adopted child. He was followed from Chicago by May Robbins, who now lives at No. 1616 Wabash avenue. Miss Robbins soon returned, as Hibben refused to marry her. Hibben made the acquaintance of Mrs. Hamilton, wife of a railroad man on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Road, eight or ten months ago. Hibben and Mrs. Hamilton eloped to San Francisco. Hamilton got a divorce and the couple were then married.

When Hibben was found by the policeman on Thursday morning he was near the house of May Robbins, the former sweetheart. When his wife heard this today there was a stormy scene. Mrs. Hibben's mother came here from Indiana and took her daughter home. Hibben's stepdaughter is being cared for by Hibben's sister, who lives here.

A Marvel from Canada.

MINNEAPOLIS (Minn.,) April 18.—A special to the Tribune from Winnipeg, Manitoba, says that the town of Qu'Appelle, near Winnipeg, is much excited over a remarkable incident, more so because all the parties connected therewith are quite prominent. These are the facts: An infidel of Qu'Apelle was dying, and two well-known men of that place were watching at his bedside. Suddenly those in the adjoining room heard a piercing cry, and, rushing into the sick room, found the two watchers insensible, and the infidel dead. The men have never since been able to speak of what they saw, and cannot refer to the matter. One of them is not expected to live. It is believed there that they saw the Evil One.

Made to Stay at Home.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 18.—Telegrams from Bitlis, Eastern Turkey, state that the house of Rev. George P. Knapp and Rev. Royal M. Cole, American missionaries of the American Board of Foreign Missions of Boston, have been blockaded by the Turkish government and the servants not allowed to go and come from the markets.

Killed in a Shaft.

OLIPHANT (Pa.,) April 18.—Four men engaged in driving a heading from the shaft to the slope of the Eddy Creek colliery, near this place, were instantly killed today.

TA-TA, COLLIS!

Free-Harbor Delegates in Happy Mood.

Goodly Appropriation for San Pedro is Assured.

Santa Monica Will Mourn by the Sad Sea Waves.

The Great Hearing is Completed—Is the Longest of This Session of Congress—Slauson Tries to Offset Mitchell.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TIMES.)

WASHINGTON (D. C.,) April 18.—(Special Dispatch.) The great harbor hearing is completed and the free-harbor delegates are happy tonight over positive assurances that the inner harbor appropriation of $392,500 for San Pedro will be restored, nothing for Santa Monica, and probably nothing for an outside harbor at San Pedro. The fight seems to be won. Senator White displayed remarkable ability in conducting the hearing, which was the longest given to any question at this session. Detroit got three hours, with Alger and Dickinson in charge. San Pedro had two days.

Mitchell concluded his speech by attacking Patterson. Slauson devoted his time to eulogizing Patterson, then endeavoring to patch up the damage done by a humorous talk and placate the committee. Lankershim admitted that the sentiment claimed for Santa Monica had been aroused by the reports that it was that or nothing. Hawgood being recalled, answered Corthell fully on every point. Huntington left the committee room evidently angry.

Senator Frye is believed to be the only member opposed to the full appropriation for the inner harbor. Frye and Jones are the only ones, if any outer harbor is indorsed, who favor Santa Monica. Judge Stephens closed in an excellent speech, reviewing everything on the other side. The present outlook could not be more favorable.

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TALKING FOR SANTA MONICA.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The hearing before the Senate Committee on Commerce on the respective merits of San Pedro and Santa Monica as sites of the proposed Southern California deep-water harbor, was continued today. J. W. Mitchell of Los Angeles was the first speaker, and was followed by James Lankershim and J. S. Slauson, also of Los Angeles. All spoke in favor of Santa Monica.

Lankershim said the present inner harbor at San Pedro was an excellent one, but the entrance too shallow for deep-draught vessels, and it would be impossible to deepen it. The water on the bar was only eighteen feet deep, and the channel was narrow and crooked, making it difficult for long vessels to get in at all, whatever the draft. He also said that, on account of wind and waves, it was impossible to properly load the vessels or unload them without losing a part of the cargo. He contended also that the growth of Los Angeles was toward Santa Monica, and they were practically one city, whereas San Pedro was twenty-three miles distant. He also said the commerce of the city had grown so rapidly as to render a deep-sea harbor a necessity. Lankershim said he had personally favored San Pedro Harbor, but had changed his mind and become convinced of the superiority of Santa Monica.

Senator Berry of the committee asked if this had not occurred because he had concluded that the influences operating at Washington were such as to render it impossible to secure the necessary improvement of San Pedro. He admitted that this was in a measure true, but also said that his examination of the reports of the engineers convinced him that he had been wrong originally. With a properly-built breakwater at Santa Monica it would be a perfect harbor. He thought the government should expend $2,800,000 on the Santa Monica Harbor and $392,000 on the inner harbor at San Pedro. He said he believed that nine-tenths of the people of Los Angeles would support this proposition.

Slauson agreed with Lankershim as to the desirability of securing both appropriations. He admitted, however, that the people were much divided. It was impossible to say with any exactness how they stood, and the Chamber of Commerce resolutions sent to Washington had been adopted to avoid any apparent division. His delegation was, however, solidly in favor of the proposition to obtain two appropriations, which would complete the inner harbor at San Pedro and also give an excellent deep-water harbor at Santa Monica.

Judge Hatch of Los Angeles followed Slauson in a brief argument for Santa Monica. With his statement, the hearing closed.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

House Pays Its Tribute to the Memory of a Deceased Member.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The House today paid tribute to the memory of the late Representative Cogswell of Massachusetts. Gen. Cogswell was one of the most popular members of the House. He was generous, big-hearted and lovable, and all who came in contact with him were charmed with his personality. The tributes to his memory today reflected the high esteem in which he is held and departed from the stock eulogies customarily delivered on such occasions. His career as a soldier, and a statesman and the nobility of his character were eloquently and warmly portrayed.

Before the eulogies began, Mr. Cannon reported the General Deficiency Bill, the last appropriation bill, and Mrs. Hillborn of California, secured the passage of a bill to establish a naval training school on Goat Island, San Francisco Harbor.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, April 18.—HOUSE. At the opening of the House today, Mr. Cannon of Illinois, chairman of the Appropriations Committee, reported the General Deficiency Bill, and gave notice that he would call it up at the earliest possible moment. A bill was passed to establish a training station for naval apprentices on Goat Island, San Francisco Harbor.

Mr. Talbert of South Carolina, who had previously blocked private bills, objected to the pension bill presented by Mr. Cannon of Illinois. Mr. Cannon made a personal appeal to the gentleman from South Carolina. He said it was the first time in twenty years that he had asked for unanimous consent. He reviewed the pathetic history of the soldier constituent of his, shot to pieces and almost totally blind. Mr. Talbert, plainly touched by the recital, withdrew his objection.

At 1 o'clock, under special order, the eulogies of the late Representative Cogswell of Massachusetts began.

Messrs. Catchings of Mississippi, Grosvenor of Ohio, Henderson of Iowa and Dockery of Missouri, were among those who laid their tributes on his bier. Then, at 2:50 o'clock, as a further respect, the House adjourned.

THE GENERAL DEFICIENCY BILL.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The House Committee on Appropriations today reported to the House the General Deficiency Bill, the last of the regular appropriation bills of this session. The principal deficiencies for which it provides are: Treasury Department, $1,074,000; District of Columbia, $116,000; War Department, $607,000; Navy Department, $199,000; Interior Department, $304,000; Department of Justice, $251,000; government printing office, $190,000; House of Representatives, $104,000; judgments of the Court of Claims, $143,000; Indian depredation claims, $10,000; audited claims, $169,000; out of postal revenue, $1,421,000.

In addition to this bill the Urgent Deficiency act passed early in the session carried $6,305,436, making the total for the deficiencies of this session, $11,096,776; total of all appropriations, $505,027,405.

The following is a list of the regular appropriations as they passed the House, with their amounts: Agricultural, $3,215,342; army, $23,275,902; diplomatic and consular, $1,630,058; District of Columbia, $5,418,960; fortifications, $5,842,337; Indian, $8,420,445; legislative etc., $21,330,765; military academy, $448,117; navy, $31,647,239; pensions, $141,325,820; postoffice, $9,815,557; river and harbor, $10,351,860; sundry civil, $29,836,992.

In addition to these bills the two deficiency bills, miscellaneous accounts, carryiung $315,024, and the regular annual appropriations amounting to $119,054,160, have been passed by the House, making the total appropriations bills duhing the session $505,027,405, and in the deficiency bill reported today there is a clause authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to transfer to the city of Atlanta the buildings erected for the government exhibit at the Cotton States Exposition.

There is an item of $10,000 to be paid to the Italian government for indemnity to the heirs of three of its subjects who were killed, and two others injured by mob violence in Colorado. In making the appropriation for Indian depredation claims, the committee provides that none of the judgments be paid until the Attorney-General has certified to the Secretary that he has caused to be examined evidence heretofore held to the Court of Claims and such other evidence as he shall be able to procure as to whether fraud has been done to the United States or exorbitant sums allowed, and finds no grounds to support a new trial.

INSTRUCTED FOR QUAY.

LEBANON (Pa.,) April 18.—The Fourteenth Congress District Republican Convention elected L. E. Weimar and M. M. Smith delegates to St. Louis. They are instructed for Quay, with McKinley as second choice.

GUARDING AGAINST ARBITRARY LAW.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—In the House today Delegate Catron of New Mexico, from the Territories Committee, reported a bill providing that, upon the convening of the Territorial Legislature of New Mexico, any one member of either house may administer the oath to the presiding officer-elect, and he shall administer the same to the other members and officers.

"The object of the bill," says the accompanying report, "is to modify the existing laws, so that the Secretary (of the Territory,) an appointee of the President, shall not have arbitrary power to organize the Legislature by ignoring the legal certificates of election, as was done at the organization of the last Legislature, at which time certificates of election given to members-elect by the county boards of canvassers, as required by law, were ignored. and persons sworn in on trumped-up certificates, or on pretenses in no manner provided for by law, so that the political complexion of the Legislature was changed in both houses."

SOLDIERS' HOME MANAGERS.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The Senate Committee on Military Affairs today acted favorably upon the list of managers of the Soldiers' Home agreed to by the House.

Ruined by Frost.

MILTON, April 18.—Fruit-growers and vegetable-raisers unite in the opinion that the frosts which have prevailed in this vicinity during the past week have done great damage to vegetation. On the lower lands the fruit crop is believed to be practically ruined, while on the higher levels the effects will be felt less severely. Grave fears ar also xpressed for the welfare of the grape crop.

Ceremonies Over Col. Cockerill.

NEW YORK, April 18.—A dispatch to the Herald from Cairo, Egypt, says that a brief ceremony was conducted Friday by the clergy of the American mission, prior to sending the remains of the late Col. John. A Cockerill to New York, and was attended by the American colony. The Khedive was officially represented.

Hanged by Moonshiners.

CHATTANOOGA (Tenn.,) April 18.—Early this morning Sterling Savage was taken from his bed at Irving College, seven miles from McMinnville, by masked moonshiners and hanged. He was suspected of being a "spotter" for United States officials.

A Delaware Army Man Dead.

WILMINGTON (Del.,) April 18.—Gen Levi Clarke Boole of the regular army, retired, died today, aged 87. He served under Gens. Taylor and Scott in the Mexican war, also with distinction through the civil war.

CLOSING IN ON THE ENGLISH.

Matabeles Threaten a Patrol Line.

They Are Driven Back with Over Fifty Slain.

A Panic Caused at Buluwayo by a Discovery.

Cecil Rhodes Has Recovered from His Illness—New Plan of Attack Adopted by the Africans. Boers' Preparations.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

LONDON, April 18.—A dispatch from Buluwayo, dated April 17, says that the rebels are increasing in numbers in close proximity to the force of the patrol established by the English. Forty-two men attacked the vanguard of the Matabeles at dawn, and drove them back to the main body. Two of the horses belonging to the British attacking party were killed, however. According to reports received here, over fifty of the natives were killed.

At noon the scouts again encountered the Matabeles in the neighborhood of the government house. Again in the afternoon a panic was caused in the town by the discovery of 200 of the natives hiding in the bush back of the hospital, where they were detained by the forces of the British.

Advices so far as received do not indicate whether any of the English or Matabeles were killed or injured during any of these later conflicts. The situation is, however, growing serious hourly, and a hot time is expected soon.

ON THE SOUDANESE FRONTIER.

NEW YORK, April 18.—Adispatch to the Herald from Assouan, Egypt, says that at present there are about ten thousand men on the Soudanese frontier, out of which there are gathered at Akasheh three battalons of infantry, a squadron of cavalry, and a battery of six guns, under Hunter Pasha.

The latter force, as soon as sufficient camels have arrived on the spot for purposes of transport, will push on to Suarda, which is garrisoned by a strong force of dervishes. The attacking party, under Col. Hunter, will number nearly 2000 men, while the number of dervishes at present at Suarda is about 14,000. Hickman Bey left Assouan on Monday with instructions to push on with all speed to Suarda, in order to take up the post of chief of staff to Col. Hunter.

GEN. CARRINGTON TO COMMAND.

LONDON, April 18.—Gen. Carrington, the British commander at Gibraltar, has been ordered to the Cape of Good Hope in order to take command of the British forces at Matabeleland. He is a veteran in South African warfare.

DID HERCULES LIE?

CAPE TOWN, April 18.—(By African Cable. Associated Press Copyright, 1896) Military men, scouts, Dutchmen and Englishmen, civilians of all classes, veteran troopers and government officials concur in the statement that the Governor of Capt Colony, Sir Hercules Robinson, has not told the truth, if he notified the home government that Buluwayo is in no danger. It is evident to everybody here that the British at Buluwayo are in the most critcal position. The chief point of their weakness is in the smallness of their numbers, and the immensity of the hordes of Matabeles gathering for an attack. Then again, large numbers of Matabeles, presumed to be friendly, have by some excuse or other succeeded in entering the town, and it is well known that they planned to rise and strike at the British as soon as the warriors of the Matabeles are heard outside the line of defense. Most of the Matabeles at Buluwayo got there by pretending to be seeking the protection of the whites, and the latter fell into the trap. These Matabeles are armed.

An outbreak must soon occur. It has been stated that Buluwayo is held by 1000 men. This is not correct. The number of fighting men at Buluwayo is under 900, and of this small number, compared with the 15,000 Matabeles in the vicinity, 200 are reported to have been dispatched to hold Mangwe Pass, a steep defile with angular turnings, which can be rendered impregnable. Other dispatches announce that a strong force of the remaining 600 whites intended to leave Buluwayo yesterday to attack the Matabeles, composed of Lobengula's crack Imbezu Regiment, from which the native police, who have been shown to have started the rebellion, were recruited. This regiment is looked upon as the most formidable in or about Matabeleland in numbers and efficiency. A number here cannot understand why such a sortie is permitted. It is feared that the awful mistake of Isandula will be repeated. The British may be enticed into the bush and, while there engaged with overwhelming numbers, the main body of the Matabele army may be hurled against Buluwayo and sweep over it, in spite of the defenses and rapid-firing guns. The great trouble at Buluwayo seems to be that a majority of the leaders are dare-devil men, prone to engage the enemy first and estimate numbers generally too late.

In addition to the Imbezu Impi, it is known that two other formidable Matabele regiments are in close proximity to Buluwayo, and it would seem that a new, carefully-prepared plan of attack has ben drawn up and is being carried out with skill. day by day, which gives additional color to the report that the Boers are behind the whole uprising. The batery of Buluwayo, according to advices received yesterday, is five seven-pounders, twelve half-pounders, three Maxim guns, one aGrdner and one Nordenfelt rapid-fire guns. the two latter having been sent to the front by the British flagship St. George.

In addition to these are several old field-guns of little use except to consume large quantities of powder, and ther are about thirty Lee-Milford rifles available, besides the rifles of the scouts, volunteers, etc., which are of all makes. though the majority are Winchesters and Martini-Henrys. For the latter the supply of ammunition is fair, but there are only about one million rounds of cartridges at Buluwayo, and those who have seen the Maxims and other rapid-firing guns vomiting fire at he rate of hundreds of shots to a minute, know that a million cartridges will not suffice to enable Buluwayo to be held for any length of time against the repeated attacks of a fierce, persistent enemy. Then, to make matters worse. it is whispered that he million rounds of cartridges have already been drawn upon, and it is hinted that supplies must reach Buluwayo shortly or the forst may be apprehended if there is much further expenditure of amunition. It is known, however, that 5000 pounds of rifles and ammunition left Mafeking on March 28 under a strong escort, and this ought to reach Buluwayo shortly.

Then, another difficulty arise. It is known that the food supply of Buluwayo is slowly giving out, mainly owing to the numbers of natives the town has to ... In addition to its white inhabitants, the refugees, the garrison and the forces occupying the outlying posts. It is true that eighteen wagons loaded with provisons are reported to have reached a spot about sixty miles from Buluwayo, wher they are "laagered," awaiting a favorable opportunity to get into the town. The garrison was communicated with, and thed escort of the provision train is to be strengthened; then the wagons will be pushed to Buluwayo.

Thus, it will be seen that steps have been taken to relieve Buluwayo with provisions and 500 volnteers are being hastily equipped and sent to the front. Delay in spite of everything must occur, and it is probal that the Matabeles may capture the provisions and ammunition trains, in which case the situation in Buluwayo would be desperate indeed.

It is stated, on the other hand, that the chiefs of the native tribes of Bechuanaland, which the relief forces must traverse, have been peaceable in their demeanor up to the present time, and are helping the government. In consequence, it is expected that numbers of wavering chiefs, who remmbr Ulundi, will join the British when they hear that troops are going to the front.

There is no change in the situation, so far as the Boers are concerned. They are continuing their preparations, apparently for a great struggle, and it is feared here that the fact that the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Chamberlain, thought it necessary to notify President Krueger that the dispatch of reinforcements to the Cape did not imply a change in the friendly policy of Great Britain toward the Transvaal, will encourage the Boers in their idea that Great Britain is afraid of them and that it will only require a combined effort on the part of the Transvaal, Orange Free State and Cape Colony to drive the British out of this part of the world. The Boers boast of being able to muster about sixty thousand fighting men and they claim this force can defy the whole British army.

CECIL RHODES RECOVERS.

LONDON, April 18.—A dispatch from Salisbury, Matabeleland, dated April 16, says that Hon. Cecil Rhodes has completely recovered from his recent illness. According to this dispatch he expected to start at once for Buluwayo, expecting to overtake the British troops sent to protect that town. According to another dispatch from Salisbury, dated April 17, the departure of Hon. Cecil Rhodes for Buluwayo has been postponed for at least forty-eight hours.

MASSACRE OF PRISONERS.

TEN MEN SHOT ON SUNDAY AND TEN MORE YESTERDAY.

Inhuman Practices at Moro Castle. A Subterranean Passage-way Used in Disposing of the Unfortunates—Women Flock to See the Public Executions.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

CINCINNATI (O.,) April 18.—The Commercial Gazette's special from its correspondent, Mrs. Josephine Woodward, dated Havana, April 18, says:

"Ten men were shot at Moro Castle on last Sunday, and this morning ten more were shot. Of all that occurs behind these walls, the greatest part must be a matter of conjecture. Only a few Spaniards know, and they do not tell. It is supposed that a subterranean passage leads under the waters of the bay from Moro Castle to the strong fortifications just across in Havana, and that this is made use of the disposition of prisoners.

"All political prisoners, however, who are accorded trial and condemned to die, are publicly executed. These affairs are made great occasions, and before sunrise the bay is fairly swarming with little craft carrying visitors to the bloody scene. Women take their children and go, and all other business is for the time suspended."

SATOLLI DOESN'T BELIEVE IT.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Cardinal Satolli attaches little importance to the cable reporting that the Pope has instructed the nuncio at Madrid to urge a settlement of the Cuban conflict, and possibly to accept the mediation of President Cleveland. At the same time the Cardinal will not discuss the subject, for, as the representative in this country of the Pope, any expression might be construed as a discourtesy.

WILL INAUGURATE POLITICAL REFORM.

MADRID, April 18.—The Minister for the Colonies expects the Political Reforms law to come into effect at Porto Rico on June 1 and in Cuba on July 1. The government denies that the United States prompted this step.

Ex-Minister of Justice Robledo, the Conservative Deputy from the Matanzas district, has resigned and intends to demand that the Chamber quash the Cuban elections.

THE BERMUDA'S OFFICERS HELD.

PHILADELPHIA, April 18.—John D. Hart, owner of the steamer Bermuda, Capt. O'Brien, master, and Mate Murphy, who are charged with aiding in setting on foot a military expedition against Spain, were today held in $1000 each by the United States District Court. Second Mate Stimson was released. Almost a score of witnesses testified that the Bermuda had taken on board about eighty men from the steamer Atlantic which sailed from Tuckaho, U. J.; that there were arms and ammunition on the steamer, and that they were discharged from the vessel on the Cuban coast.

BRAINED HIS MOTHER.

An Insane Man Does Awful Work with a Hatchet.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

WALLACE (Idaho,) April 18.—J. E. Perry killed his mother with a hatchet this morning, presumably in a fit of insanity. The family, consisting of father, mother, wife and baby of the murderer, arrived from Tekoa, Wash., Thursday. Henry Ellers, a milkman, went to the house to deliver milk, and when Mrs. Perry went to the door Perry caught his mother, struggled with her an instant, then knocked her down. Approaching with a hatchet he ordered Ellers to leave. Ellers hurried away for help, but when he returned, the woman was lying on the floor, hacked to pieces and the murderer had fled. After murdering his mother, Perry picked up his baby and walked quietly out of doors, where he handed it to his wife and fled.

The Sheriff and City Marshal overtook the murderer about a mile distant from the house and he immediately drew the bloody hatchet and dared them to approach him. There was a lively struggle, but they overpowered him and brought him back to jail. It is learned that Perry had long been subject to fits and has twice been in an asylum, first at Pueblo, Colo., and later at Medicine Lake, Wash. At times when young Perry was suffering from his disease he was inclined to quarrel with his father. This morning it was evident that another attack was coming on, so his father went away. Young Perry is about 24 years old, and was married in Utah in 1892.

Perry Heath Sells Out.

CINCINNATI, April 18.—Tomorrow's Commercial Gazette will announce that Perry S. Heath who, for two years, has been president and manager of the Commercial Gazette, has sold his interest in the company and has retired from the directory and management.

LONG NOSES IN AUSTRIA'S COURT.

Wandering Willie Has Given Offense.

Franz Josef Wants Italian in His—Nit.

That Vienna Conference not a Howling Success.

Just the Same the Kaiser Will Get a Warm Welcome in Saxony—The Young Princes Going to School. Interesting Melange.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

BERLIN, April 18.—(By Atlantic Cable. Associated Press Copyright, 1896.) In well-informed circles there is an impression that the visit of Emperor William to Vienna, was not such a success in strengthening the friendship between Austria and Germany as expected. It is asserted that Emperor Francis Joseph and his Cabinet are piqued at the length of Emperor William's stay in Italy, and the mutual affection displayed there. The question of the future German support of the Austrian Balkan policy was repeatedly broached without eliciting satisfactory German assurances, and a thorough understanding on the subject between Count Badeni and Prince Hohenlohe was not effected. The Austrian Minister for Foreign Affairs, Count Goluchowski, and all the minor Austrian officials received a German decoration, but Count Badeni, the Premier, did not.

Another question left unadjusted, is that of the British-German relations. The German press has had an outburst of temper, owing to an article in the Morning Post of London, which is considered offensive to Germany and the government, it is said, in spite of Austria's wishes, is determined to pursue a policy in South Africa dictated by its own interests entirely, until Great Britain is brought to her senses. Herr Horff, the German representative, has received minute instructions in view of the latest developments in South Africa.

The immense sensation which resulted from the pistol duel between Count von Kotze and Baron von Schrader, resulting in the death of the latter, and a number of other recent encounters, seems to promise an early abolition of the duel in Germany. In both the Reichstag and the Prussian Diet, the matter will be broached, and a demand will be made for new and stringent anti-dueling laws. Herren Richter and Bebel and other Radicals, will lead the debate in the Reichstag. Public opinion is overwhelmingly in favor of the abolition of the duel, and it is understood that the Emperor will shortly modify the prerogatives and duties of the military courts of honor, giving them full powers to peaceably adjust quarrels and differences of opinion, instead of merely advising.

The visit of Emperor William to Dresden on Thursday next, on the occasion of the King of Saxony's birthday will be signalized by a gala fete, a military parade and a monster street procession, in which the Dresden art students will take part.

On Tuesday next the imperial court will remove to Potsdam for the summer, the Empress will shortly conduct her two eldest sons to the cadet school at Ploen, where they will remain for three years. returning home only for the usual holidays. Near the little schloss, where the Princes will live, a small railway station, in loghut style, has been specially built. They will be taught in company with the other pupils in the schoolroom of the private residence.

Oscar Kauffman's book makes public same curious details regarding the private life of the imperial family. It appears that the Emperor contracts with his chief butler for meals at so much per head. An ordinary dinner costs less than $2 a plate. exclusive of wine, but on festive occasions the cost of a dinner varies from $5 to $10. The Emperor usually has three meals daily; a meat breakfast. a hot lunch and a six-course dinner, the latter always being disposed of under an hour. On the menu are hock, Bordeaux and champagne, daily, as table wines. and the cellars of the schloss hold 2000 bottles of fine wines and 4000 casks of other wines and liquors.

A government edict just published greatly restricts the liberties of university students. Hereafter they must obtain permission from both the police and their rector before holding public or private meetings.

During the week there were violent hail and snowstorms in the German Highlands, the mercury registering 22 deg, in the Hartz Mountains, with deep snow.

On Friday the carpenters at work on the Berlin Industrial Exhibition struck for a mark an hour, and a mark and a half for overtime.

Maj. Leutwin, the German governor of Southwest Africa, reports that he fears there will be a rising of the Hereros, who number 30,000, and who are giving a great deal of trouble. The German forces only number 600, and are quite inadequate to cope with them. If war breaks out it will be the biggest colonial trouble Germany has yet had.

The Reichstag Oleomargarine Bill, as amended in committee, renders the importation of American oleomargarine virtually impossible. There is little prospect of its adoption.

The government bill to prevent unfair competition in trade was considered by the imperial Diet on Friday. The bill provides for the punishment of persons revealing trade secrets, which the government has divided into two categories; first, those learned by workmen in the ordinary course of service, and, secondly, those form which employers have exacted promises of secrecy. The Diet refused to pass the measure in this shape and adopted a modified form by which a penalty is only applied to the betrayal of business secrets during time of service and with intent to injure their employers or compete with them. The Diet also declined to accept the paragraph by which editors of newspapers were to be held responsible for fraudulent or deceptive advertisements, and passed the clause exempting editors from penalty unless it is proved that they were aware that the advertisements were deceptive.

FLOODED TOWN.

Four Canadian Villages Inundated by an Overflow.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

THREE RIVERS (Quebec.,) April 18.—The greater part of this town is iundated. Ice is piled in great masses in the streets. The gasworks are flooded, and the fires extinguished. The electric-light station and waterworks are also threatened.

News from Berthier, Yamachiche and St. Anne de la Parade, is to the effect that those towns are al entirely flooded and their distress is great.

A NEW DEAL.

Railroads and Interstate Commerce Commission Hand in Glove.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

CHICAGO, April 18.—The Ecvening Post says that a new deal is reported to have been entered into between the various railroad organizations throughout the country, and the Interstate Commerce Commission, under which cut rates are to become a thing of the past. Millions and millions of dollars are to be added to the income of the roads.

The commission, it is said, is to drop all proceedings against the roads for breaches of the law committed prior to the rendering of the Supreme Court's decision in the Brown case, and both commission and roads are to start out on a new career of combined usefulness and inforcement and observance of the law. On their part, the roas undertake to stop their discriminations in favor of big shippers, to treat all persons and places alike, and become agents of the commission in inforcing the law.

THE REPORT DENIED.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—A number of railroad men, including President Stickney of the Chicago and Great Western, have called at the Interstate Commerce Commission during the past week and talked with the commissioners regarding the effect of the recent decision of the Supreme Court in the Brown case. They said it was the intention of the railroads to obey the laws, and that the decision was beneficial to them in many respects.

In a general way they said they would endeavor to assist the commission in securing compliance with the law, but it is denied at the commission that the deal was made with them, and it is pointed out that the commission coul not so act if it desired. Chairman Morrison, who was told the purprt of the publication, denied that any negotiations or deal had been entered into with the railroas, looking to the dropping of prosecutions in cases begun prior to the Brown decision. He said: "The commission has nothing to do with that, and it has made no agreement of any kind, on paper or verbally, with any one. We intend to secure obedience to the law, and will take every measure necessary to secure that end."

SPLIT IN THE MIDDLE.

A LINE OF THIRTY MEN DIVIDED BY EXPLODING POWDER.

Four Miners Killed and Sixteen Injured at Neihart, Mont.—The Disaster Occurs in a Magazine Where the Explosive Was Being Thawed Out.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

NEIHART, (Mont.) April 18.—Four men were killed and sixteen injured in a mine explosion here today. The death-list is placed at seven, as follows:

FRANK DORAN,
W. J. MORRISON.
HUGH M'KENZIE.
DAN O'LEARY.
D. H. ROUND.
JOHN CAINS.
JAMES T. GALLAGHER.

Seriously wounded are:

JOSEPH DORAN.
JAMES CONNELLY.
GEORGE DORAN.
FRANK DORAN.
CHARLES SMITH.
MIKE LOBAN.
MATT BROWN.

Many others are cut and bruised. The accident occurred in a magazine used for thawing powder. Frank Doran was looking after the powder and had just commenced loading the magazine when the explosion occurred. It is supposed that his candle ignited the explosive. He was found twenty feet from the magazine in another drift. He must have seen the danger and tried to escape. The men had just finished their midnight lunch and were on their way back to work. Thirty had to pass the magazine and it exploded as half were past. Those in the center and dead and seriously wounded. The mine is badly caved in.

Superintendent Cooney says there could not have been over thirty pounds of powder in the magazine. Doran leaves a wife and two children. The others are single men. Most of them had resided here but a short time.

A SCIENTIFIC WAKE.

Little Victims Killed by X Rays Watched by Professors.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

CHICAGO, April 18.—Profs. Pratt and Wightman spent the evening in their laboratory—a prolonged and scientific wake over four little coffins of scourges. The inscriptions were cholera. tuberculosis, hog cholera and diphtheria. The victims had peen pierced by the Roentgen rays thirty-six hours previously. They showed not the sligtest indicaton of life, a fact wich may or may not lead to further proof that the scientists are right in their claim that their experiments have found a solution for the infectious and contagious diseases.

They will withhold any positive verdict until a week shall elapse, until the germs shall have had time to recover from their stunned condition; until they shall refuse to revive and go to work in the most tempting, appetizing imitation of human tissue that can be made. It is the theory that all the germs coming directly under the force will be killed. This is the position of Prof. Roentgen, as well as the Chicago men. There is no fear by the physicians that the killing of the fatal bacteria would also destroy those necessary to life.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

CHICAGO, April 18.—Consumption is dead. Diphtheria was killed outright. Typhoid was annihilated. Cholera has been stunned for fourteen days. Pneumonia was barely able to resume its work. Anthrax an glanders escaped with serious injury. Influenza missed slaughter by its position under the tube.

This is the bulletin from the laboratory of Profs. Pratt and Wightman, who announce to the world that the Roentgen ray is the cure of those diseases. The last and final efforts to revive the exposed colonies of germs have left four stone dead. The investigators make this positive declaration. They claim that every possible scientific precaution was taken that there might be no possible reason for their deception. They are convinced of the success of the first experiment wiht the bacilli in test tubes. They started yesterday morning in the laboratory a new series of trials, which, they insist, will prove or disprove the possible use of the discovery in actual practice.

A TUNGSTATE CORNER.

A Young Pittsburgher Has a Cinch on X-Ray Experimenters.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

PITTSBRUGH (Pa.) April 18.—Pittsburgh has cornered the tungstate market by a deal that brought three drachms of this precious chemical to this city, and the price has gone up from $288 a pound to $676 within the last month. Tungstate is the substance used in a combination of calcium to make X rays visible. The man who cornered the market is a wealthy Pittsburgher, interested in scientific discoveries.

When the discovery of tungstate of calcium as a medium to make the rays visible was announced, the young man went to Prof. Tingley of the Allegheny High School, to see the experiment with this chemical. The professor explained that the high school was just out of the tungstate, and that it might be some time before any would be furnished for such experiments. The young man pondered a moment, and then asked Prof. Tingley if he would accept some from him and go on with the experiments. Prof. Tingley assented, and the young man went out to hunt some up. It was not to be found in Pittsburgh, but he was given an address in New York.

He ordered a pound of Tungstate. In two days the reply was received, stating that the house had not that much in stock, but had sent all over New York City, and would forward as much as they could get. Shortly afterward came a package with three drachms and a bill for $9. The experiments were entirely successful, and then a letter was received from Chicago, asking if he would sell part of his stock. Then a letter came next from New England, asking the same thing, and following them came requests from all over the country for some of the valuable stuff. Even New York dealers sent on, and now the price has crept from $3 to $6 a drachm.

Barraboo Tired of Twins.

MINNEAPOLIS (Minn.,) April 18.—A special to the Journal from Barraboo, Wis., says that the Rev. Morrill Twins, the evangelist, whose meetings have been broken up by persons who did not like his peculiar style of evangelism, has been ordered out of town by the Mayor. A proclamation was issued, forbidding any public gatherings, and special police were on duty to inforce the order. He will not be allowed to speak.

Burned to the Water's Edge.

EVANSVILLE (Ind.,) April 18.—The river front was swept by fire today. Three wharf-boats and two steamers, the Alexander Perry and the A. L. Norton, were burned to the water's edge and sank. The boats were packed with freight which is a total loss. The loss will reach $100,000.

The K. of P. Encampment.

CLEVELAND (O.,) April 18.—It has finally been decided to hold the national encampment of the Uniform Rank og the Knights of Pythias in this city from August 24 to 31. Headquarters for the general committee will be opened Monday next, and all committees will begin active preparations for the encampment.

Paralyzed the Waiter.

(Troy Times:) A story told by Burr MacIntosh is not half bad: In the days before he was an actor man he was in the Far West with a lot of swell New Yorkers who were inspecting a mine. The richest men of the locality gave them what they believed to be a grand blow-out—the best the place could provide—and one of them incautiously remarked to one of the metropolitan visitors: "Reckon you couldn't beat this much in the East?" Scornfully replied the New Yorker: "Of course, you've done the best you could, but the cost of this feed wouldn't be enough to give a Delmonico waiter a tip." It was a cruel remark, and it sunk deep into the soul of that little western society. Later business summoned the man to whom the words had been spoken and one of his companions to the vortex of eastern civilization, and they determined to go to Delmonico's and paralyze that hostelry with their wealth. To them money meant nothing. They seated themselves in the famous place, prepared to paralyze the rich New Yorkers. A waiter approached and handed them the bill-of-fare. One of them picked it up with a careless air, as though he had been frequenting Delmonico's every day in his life, and, casting his eye casually over it, suddenly started and exclaimed:

"Great heavens, Bill, she's all in French!"

"Don't lose your nerve," said Bill, coolly. "Do the best you can. Paralyze them."

He did. Summonig the waiter with a lordly air, he said:

"See here mister, bring me $40 worth of ham and eggs."

The verdict at the coroner's jury upon the waiter is not recorded. The cause of his death was never ascertained. He simply fell dead.

Arizona Rubies.

Pyrope, or Bohemian garnet, has been long and extensively sought and worked in the region near Meronitz, Bohemia, where it is gathered from surface deposits and conglomerate rocks. coming from a decomposed peridotite. The gathering and cutting form a great industry in that country. Pyrope occurs under similar conditions in the diamond-bearing rocks of South Africa and also in Arizona and New Mexico, and from both these regions gems of rich color are obtained and sold under the name of Cape rubies and Arizona rubies. The African stones are larger than the American, and perhaps equal to them in color by daylight, but the latter are much richer by artificial light. Only the clear blood-red color then remains visible; while the Cape rubies, retain a dark tint, inclining to brown. About $5000 worth of cut stones from Arizona are sold annually, and some particularly fine ones have brought from $50 to $100 each.

Drinking Water at Sea.

The Italian battleship Cristoforo Colombo has a curious arrangement for furnishing her seamen with drinking water. Experience proved that drinking large quantities of cold water after violent exercise, especially while cruising in the tropics, caused many deaths. The water tanks on the battleship were designed to prevent such indiscretion. The water tanks on the vessel are connected with innumerable little rubber hoses. and on the end of each hose is a small rubber nipple. Whenever any seaman wants drinking water he must turn a stopcock and then suck it through the hose and nipple. It is slow work but it has been found that it preserves many valuable lives.

WILL DIVIDE MAIN STREET.

Three Sections to Give Smaller Contractors a Chance.

An informal meeting of the Main-street Improvement Association took place last evening. There was a rather small attendance, owing to the fact that no notice had been sent out beforehand to the members. C. T. Dague acted as chairman of the meeting, and Wesley Clark spoke on the subject of the paving bonds.

The members present were unanimous in declaring that at the present contract price they were one and all decidedly against paving. It was possible to secure a cheaper price for the paving and there was much dissatisfaction expressed at the price accepted by the Council. A scheme to get other contractors to bid on the work was proposed. The idea is to divide Main street into three section, the first to be from Ninth street to Washington, the second from Washington to Adams, and the third from Adams to Jefferson. In this way contractors who could not handle such a large job as the entire length would be able to figure on a smaller amount.

It was decided to hold another meeting on Wednesday, April 22, at 7:30 in the evening, at the same place, corner of Main and Twenty-seventh streets, since the absence of so many members made it impossible to take any decided action. The meeting then adjourned.

(Ontario Record:) The Cahuenga vegetable growers have reaped a rich harvest this winter. The industry is in the hands of white men. String beans bring 12½ cents per pound and sell in San Francisco for 15 and 18 cents. They have brought as much as 40 cents, and sold for 30 cents at one time this season. Green peas are not so dear, selling now for 2 cents, and retailing as low as three pounds for 10 cents. Earlier in the season the grower realized more money on them. Tomatoes fruit at Cahuenga all winter. They were as high as $3.50 per box early in the season, and bring the grower $1.50 per box now. The price is quoted in San Francisco at 2.25@2.50.

MEN AND WOMEN OF THE COAST

Gen. Forsyth, military commander of the Department of California, was in San Diego recently, inspecting the United States Barracks.

Mrs. Joaquin Zazueta, wife of Don Joaquin Zazueta, Justice of the Peace and chief of rurales at Tia Juana, is expected to arrive in San Diego this week, where she will join her husband.

Herman Oelrichs, the California millionaire, who is staying in New York, is reported dangerously ill. As soon as her husband recovers Mrs. Oelrichs expects to sail for Russia with him.

Rev. N. Stewart Hartman, D.D., of Baltimore, general secretary of the Board of Home Missions of the Lutheran Church, is visiting in San Diego.

Lord Alfred Douglas, son of the Marquis of Queensbery and brother of Lord Sholto Douglas, is expected to arrive soon at the Hotel del Coronado.

Dr. Miller of Prescott, president of the Antiquarian Society of Arizona, has formed a society in Phoenix, with H. H. Brown as president.

Gen. A. J. Sampson, who has been most effective in pushing the interests of the Grand Army of the Republic of Arizona, was unanimously selected last week department commander of the G.A.R.

James Henley of Victoria, Australia. who has been absent from the United States for over fifty years, has returned to San Francisco, and is registered at the Occidental. He used to work in the gold mines in California, but left for Australia when the first gold excitement commenced.

John Henry, ex-treasurer of Tasmania, accompanied by a few friends who are on their way to England, is stopping at the Occidental, San Francisco. Mr. Henry, besides being interested in several large industries, is said to have been one of the most effiecient of the members of the Tasmania Cabinet.

Maj. McKibbin, who, for several years, has been stationed at Fort Missoula, Mont., has received news of his promotion to lieutenant-colonel, an assignment to the command of the Twenty-first Infantry now stationed at Plattsburg Barracks, on Lake Champlain, New York.

A St. Petersburg cablegram says that Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria has arrived, and was welcomed at the railroad station by the Grand Duke Vladimir and staff and a number of distinguished Russians. The Turkish Ambassador and his staff were also present to welcome the Prince. The latter proceeded to Tsarskoeselo in order to visit the Czar.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

Field Marshal Yamagata sailed from New York for Europe on the steamer La Touraine yesterday.

John A. Tucker, founder of the National Cordage Company, died last night at New York city. He was 57 years old, and leaves a family.

A Scandia, Kan, dispatch says that a small cyclone passed through there Friday from the southwest to the northeast, smashing barns and outbuildings, twisting off trees and giving the people a severe scare.

James Sturgis, one of the founders of Cheyenne, Wyo., and representative in New York city of the Chicago stockyards, has been appointed commissioner of the New York Civil Service Supervisory Board. He succeeds E. L. Modkin, resigned.

A Philadelphia dispatch says yesterday was the hottest 18th day of April in the history of the Weather Bureau in that city, the mercury going to 93 deg. at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. There were many cases of prostration, but none proved fatal.

A special to the New York World from Lima says that the murderers of the President of Bolivia have been sentenced as follows: Capt. Macudo, to death; Lieuts. Castillo and Ortiz to ten years' imprisonment; Achas to fifteen months in prison.

A Vienna cablegram says that Dr. Lueger, Anti-Semite leader of the Reichsrath, was again elected Burgomaster of Vienna today, by a vote of 96 to 42. The minority of the Liberals voted for Dr. Gruebek. Crowds greeted the announcement of the result with cheers.

A Lancaster, Pa., dispatch says that E. K. Smith, the ex-banker of Columbus, was yesterday sentenced to imprisonment for two years five months on two convictions of embezzlement. The offense consisted of accepting deposits when he knew the bank was insolvent.

A Nashville, Tenn., dispatch says that M. A. Spurr was found guilty by a United States Court jury on Friday of falsely certifying checks of the Commercial National Bank of this city, of which he was president. A motion for a new trial will be heard by Judge Severeni at Cincinnati in May.

A Saratoga dispatch says that the hot wave is reducing the Adirondacks' snow deposit to a freshet. The lakes and streams are unusually high and are still rising. At Glen Falls, Chestertown, Fort Edwards, Warrensburg and other points the water is bursting its banks and threatens great destruction. Schroon Lake is higher than at any time in twenty-seven years.

A Correct Diagnosis.

(New York Mail and Express:) It isn't measles that ails Mr. Cleveland's Cuban policy. It is a clear case of paralysis, with traces of incipient paresis.

That's Mean.

(Albuquerque Daily Citizen:) The Democratic party is now happily named the Starvation Army.

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[COAST RECORD.]

THE WHEELS OF PROGRESS STOP.

One Result of War in Nicaragua.

Pacific Mail Transportation Has Been Impeded.

Steamers Refused Entry at Some of the Ports.

Costello Found Guilty of Manslaughter—Gov. Franklin Takes the Oath—Damages Against the Southern Pacific.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—It is more than likely that a shot or two will be fired across the bow of the Pacific Mail steamer City of Para before she again returns to this port. The vessel will sail for the turbulent Central American ports, and Capt. Russell will be instructed to make an effort to enter the ports held by the Nicaraguan insurgents on his way back from Panama for the purpose of landing freight. The officials of the company argue that when the insurgents are assured that the freight is made up of ordinary merchandise and not war materials, the steamer will be allowed to dock, even though she may meet with a somewhat hostile reception when she attempts to enter the harbor.

As the result of the revolution which has been in progress in Nicaragua for several months, the Pacific Mail steamers, as well as all other strangers, have been denied entry at San Juan del Sur, Corinto and several less important harbors. A great deal of freight has been shipped from New York, Philadelphia and other cities on the Atlantic side for these closed ports, but as it could not be handled, it was piled up on the Pacific Mail dock at Panama and remains there.

According to the last reports received from Panama, there were seventeen freight cars standing in the depot with goods for Corinto alone, and, in addition, about 1500 tons of merchandise lying on the wharf. Almost as much more is waiting there for transportation to San Juan del Sur.

A FREE MAN.

"Dick" McDonald is Released on His Own Recognizance.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—After two years' imprisonment, "Dick" McDonald, formerly vice-president of the Pacific Bank, is a free man. He was released on his own recognizance today by Superior Judge Bahrs. There are still three more indictments pending against McDonald, but it is unlikely that they will cause him any trouble. One indictment is for perjury in swearing to the false statement of the Pacific Bank. He has been tried once for this, and the jury disagreed. It is improbable that he will be tried again on this charge.

The District Attorney was given one week to decide whether he wishes to prosecute McDonald further. Every one believes that his troubles in connection with the failure of the Pacific Bank are now over.

STRUCK IT RICH.

Charles D. Lane Finds the Most Precious Gold Yet Smelted.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Charles D. Lane has again struck it rich. In a recent Arizona investment he has secured a second Utica, and if the developments already made hold out, he and his partners will possess one of the most productive gold-bearing properties in the United States. The indications of the Fortuna, as the principal mine of the group named, are equal, if not superior to the far-famed Harqua Hala in the same Territory. The purchase price was a trifle compared with the results already obtained.

The development has been phenomenally rapid. There are between $600,000 and $1,000,000 in sight. Next month Lane will begin the shipment to this city of bars of gold superior in weight and exceeding in value any ingots of the precious metal yet run into molds.

The A.P.A. Outgeneraled.

WOODLAND, April 18.—The Republican County Convention declared in favor of a high tariff, reciprocity and free silver. There was strong opposition to the latter, but the resolution was allowed to go through after a hard fight. No preference for President was declared. The delegates-at-large are Mark Chamberlain and J. O. Chalmers. The district delegates are Ed Archer, W. O. Russell, A. J. Thomas, J. A. Moffiett and C. L. Richmond. The A.P.A. probably had a majority of the delegates, but they were outgeneraled, and beaten at every point.

The Loss of the Blairmore.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—The court of inqury which has been investigating the loss of the ship Blairmore, which capsized in the bay, made a report today exonerating Capt. Caw. The court finds that he was not to blame for sending the six men who were drowned into the hold, and that the accident was caused by the ship fouling her cable, which, with the wind and tide turned the vessel over. The Blairmore still lies at the bottom of the bay, and no attempt has been made to raise her.

Rough on Raten.

SACRAMENTO, April 18.—The jury selected to try Simon Raten as to his sanity this evening rendered a verdict within ten minutes, that he is insane. Raten had been arrested for murdering and robbing two Japanese with whom he had been traveling. After his trial had been in progress two days, it was concluded that he was insane, and a new jury was selected. He will be committed to the Stockton asylum, where he will remain until such time as the asylum authorities conclude that he is sane. At that time he will be returned to Sacramento and the murder trial will be resumed.

Costello Guilty of Manslaughter.

STOCKTON, April 18.—John Costello was tonight found guilty of manslaughter for having killed James Loughran at the Sargent ranch on the 19th of last January. The killing was done in a quarrel, which resulted from too much drinking during the afternoon, and Costello claims that he was acting in defense when he shot the man for whom he had been at work. The defendant relied implicitly on his story of self-defense, and it took the jury but half an hour to reduce the verdict as low as they succeeded in getting it.

Disorganized by Death.

PRESCOTT (Ariz.,) April 18.—The receipt of news announcing the killing lately of Nick Pallmer of South Africa, formerly of this city, a well-known Pacific Coast mining operator, and his companion, W. H. Johnston, a railroad man, has the effect of disorganizing a large party of gold-hunters who were soon to leave this city for the Transvaal regions. Several miners who have lately left this section are reported as slain also.

Arizona Under New Rule.

PHOENIX (Ariz.,) April 18.—Pursuant to authorization received this morning from Washington, Gov. B. J. Franklin took the oath of office at noon today at the executive chamber. Chief Justice Baker was the administering officer, the ceremony being witnessed by a large number of citizens. Democrats are in the city from all parts of Arizona, the expectation being that a clean sweep will be made in all offices of the Territory.

The Sehorn Murder Case.

WILLOWS, April 18.— No progress was made in the Sehorn murder trial today. Each side exercised two peremptory challenges, and the day closed with only one juror in the box. An adjournment was taken until next Monday afternoon.

CAMPMEETING IN THE CAPITAL.

(CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

BY CY WARMAN.

WASHINGTON, April 13, 1896.

"By cool Siloam's shady rills,
How fair the lily grows."

We live in the southeast, here in Washington, down by the tired Potomac, where the banks and the rents are low. It is called the tired Potomac because it runs all the time and never gets anywhere. For six hours it flows out toward the open sea, and then the tide comes up and pushes it back into the bogs again. It is usually the color of a brickyard after a rain, and the doctors say it is conducive to good health. But the doctors live here, and as there is one doctor to every twenty people, it is perhaps just as well for the doctors that the Potomac water is as it is. Mind, I don't say it is unhealthy. It is all right for drinking purposes—that we know, for the doctors, who are experts, have said so; but it is not fit to bathe in. Sir Julian has been obliged to sink an artesian well at the British Embassy, in order to have clear water for his bath. I've seen a band of hazel-splitters come rollicking down the Virginia hills, but when they reached the water's edge they took a sip or two, gave a few disparaging grunts, and trotted back to the bush again. It was all right for drinking purposes, but what they really wanted was a bath.

Aside from the Potomac and the medical experts—locally known as the "microbe chaser"—the most amusing thing in Washington is the negro. Not the swaggering political negro, the sedate spectacled Sunday-school negro, nor the scrappy, noisy negro, who is always loaded down with razors and apple jack, but the soaring, ecstatic, camp-meeting negro—he beats them all.

The winter is the season here, because Congress is here, and in winter the colored people work (some of them,) but with the first twitter of the wren they want to quit and get off and frolic. Along with the wren comes the revivalist, who never fails to cause a great awakening among the dark people of the capital. Over against the jail, which is near us, they have erected a great tent, and here they hold forth every night in the week except Saturday night. They begin in the early twilight time, and about the hour when the hardworking poor take to their tents a wave of melody comes up from the malarial banks where the wild thyme grows. The chorus is always strong, the music ever the same, and the words never change.

"By cool Siloam's shady rills,
How fair the lily grows."

It is a pretty picture that these happy people paint of cool Siloam, and I hope and pray that they may be able to keep it cool and shady. I have tried at times to enter into the spirit of the song, but I could not.

I have seen the pool; a slimy, stagnant hole it was, whose green waters were oozing out over the road. Down this road an Arab rode a thin-legged donkey, whose sharp feet sank in the loam until the rider's broad feet rested on the stiff mud. Then the Arab stood up and laughed while the little burro struggled out from between his legs.

"By cool Siloam's shady rills."

The only shade near the pool is made by the naked arms of a dead cottonwood. The rills, if they were ever there, have long since ceased to sing; and there is not a lily in sight.

Sometimes, in the twilight, the lepers, who live below the pool, come up and carry away jars of warm water, and these things are constantly coming between me and the beautiful picture made by the negro melodists in the tent below.

The pool of Siloam is in the shadow of the cross at the foot of Calvary, and the curse of God seems to have fallen upon it and upon all the country round about. It is not a pretty place now, and it is just as well for these good souls to stay here and sing the song as it used to be—better perhaps than for them to visit the place and be undeceived.

But "cool Siloam" is only the opening chorus on the evening's exercises. As the hours waste and the candles burn deep into the night, a wilder song is sung. In front of the box that the preacher leans upon there is a brief space strewn with sawdust, and from time to time, as the excitement increases, a dusky rejoicer will leave his seat and take a few turns about this little circus, just as Senator Harris does when Senator Lodge flourishes a red flag across the little arena in front of the president's desk. As the shouting sinner circles he steps quickly and executes a sort of chicken flutter that is enthusing to the onlookers.

Over in a dark corner a black man will stand up, close his eyes, open his chimney and begin to pour forth a song of his own making, words, music and all. It may have a chorus and it may not. I have seen one of these extemporaneous "campposers" start a simple song of three words, "Give us glory. Give us glory," and in five minutes every mouth in the tent was wide open, and the song was kept up without the slightest variation for a half hour. During the rendering of this beautiful chorus a woman began to do the walk-around; others joined her until the little space was filled and she found herself the fixed center of a circling host of howling enthusiasts. Now they began to kick down the benches and fling them out against the tent walls and the circle grew larger.

I have heard old cattlemen tell how a bull would balk on the plains sometimes, and the other cattle begin to circle around him, and in a little while the whole herd, thousands of steers, would be walking round and round and it was next to impossible to break the circuit. The cattlemen call that "milling," and that is just what these darkies do.

That was my first and last visit, but I know they do the same every night. First, I hear "Cool Siloam," and then there is quiet for a spell—for the preaching is not so loud—and by and by the big black man starts his little song: "Give us glory; give us glory," and in a little while they seem to get it. Yes, there go the benches—like the sound of a circus breaking up after the last performance. They were singing the opening song when I began to write, and now they are beginning to mill. Round and round, like the bewildered herd on the plain. Up and down, like the tired Potomac, they are always going, but never get anywhere. They are happy now, but they will soon forget, and next spring they will meet again, and sing, and shout it all over again,

"By cool Siloam's shady rills."

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[SPORTING RECORD.]

TOM SHARKEY'S AWFUL NERVE.

It Causes Him to Open His Face.

Whereupon He Alleges He Can Lick Choynski.

Joseph Will Remain and Defy the Allegator.

Stanford Plays Tennis for Keeps. Ball as Played by Various Clubs. Races at Memphis and Elsewhere—Duchess of Milpitas.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Tom Sharkey has expressed the opinion that he can whip Choynski in a finish fight, and would willingly engage in such a contest. Now that he has met Smith, Greggains and Choynski, Sharkey very naturally has an exalted opinion of his ability as an exponent of the manly art.

Choynski intends to stay here several weeks, and is anxious to meet Sharkel under the same conditions as they met on Thursday night. The friends of Choynski are confident that but for the foul blow he received in the groin in the first round he would have finished Sharkey off in less than five rounds. Nothing has been done in regard to another match, although there was much talk about the match yesterday.

EASTERN BASEBALL.

Cincinnati Reds Win Out in the Last Three Innings.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

CINCINNATI (O.,) April 18.—The Reds won out in the last three innings after they were five runs behind. The attendance was 3400. Score:

Cincinnati, 11; base hits, 12; errors, 2.
Pittsburgh, 9; base hits 17; errors, 9.
Batteries—Ehret, Davis, F. Foreman and Vaughn; T. Foreman, Goar and Merritt.

LOUISVILLE-CHICAGO.

LOUISVILLE (Ky.,) April 18.—Today's game was hotly contested. The attendance was 2100. Score:

Louisville, 5; base hits, 7; errors, 2.
Chicago, 3; base hits, 10; errors, 4.
Batteries—Weyhing, Hill and Warner; Friend and Kittredge.

CLEVELAND-ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS (Mo.,) April 18.—The Spiders captured today's game easily, outplaying the Browns at every point. The attendance was 5000. Score:

Cleveland, 11; base hits, 12; errors, 4.
St. Louis, 4; base hits, 5; errors, 5.
Batteries—Wilson and O'Connor; Parrott and McFarland.

NEW YORK-WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—By making a transfer of players New York succeeded in winning from Washington today. The attendance was 3400. Score:

Washington, 6; base hits, 9; errors, 5.
New York, 7; base hits, 9; errors, 1.
Batteries—Malarkey, Gilroy and McGuire; Meekin, Van Haltren and Wilson.

BALTIMORE-BROOKLYN.

BALTIMORE, April 18.—The Champions easily defeated the Brooklyns in the last of the series this afternoon. The attendance was 4800.

Baltimore, 6; base hits, 5; errors, 2.
Brooklyn, 2; base hits, 5; errors, 1.
Batteries—Pond and Robinson; Gumbert, Payne and Grim.

PHILADELPHIA-BOSTON.

PHILADELPHIA, April 18.—Score:
Philadelphia, 11; base hits, 12; errors, 2.
Boston, 1; base hits, 6; errors, 2.
Batteries—Philadelphia, Taylor and Clements; Boston, Sullivan, Mains and Ryan.

BAY DISTRICT.

The Duchess of Milpitas Makes a Big Winning.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Favorites had a rough time of it at Bay District today, Mr. McGregor II being the only first choice to win during the day. The sensation of the day was the win of Duchess of Milpitas in the mile-and-a-half event, 75 to 1 being freely quoted against her chances.

Five and a half furlongs: Big Chief won, Ginger second, Little Tough third; time 1:09½.

Five and a half furlongs: Daylight won, Jim Bozeman second, Marjorie third; time 1:09.

Seven furlongs: Chartreuse won, Rosebud second, Scimitar third; time 1:27½.

One mile and a half: Duchess of Milpitas won, Articus second, Uncle Giles third; time 2:35½.

One mile and a half, steeplechase: Esperance won, Arundel second, Col. Wightman third; time 1:26¼.

Six furlongs; Mr. McGregor II won, Major Cook second, George Miller third; time 1:13¾.

Five and a half furlongs: Heartsease won, Marble Rock second, Montgomery third; time 1:09.

At Bennings Track.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The season of legitimate racing in the East was inaugurated with very auspicious circumstances at the Bennings track this afternoon.

Five furlongs: Premier won, Halton second, Mangrove third; time 1:02.

Half a mile: Own won, Marsh Harrier second, Joe Hayman third; time 0:50 1-5.

Six furlongs, Blue and Gray handicap: Paladin won, Hawarden second, Hanwell third; time 1:44 4-5.

One mile: Brisk won, Sue Kitty second, Ed Kearney third; time 1:43 2-5.

About two miles, steeplechase: Mars Chan won, Mill Boy second, May Blossom third; time 4:20 3-5.

Results at Forsythe.

CHICAGO, April 18.—Results at Forsythe:

Five furlongs: Weota won, Lollie Easton second, Roslyn third; time 1:09.

Four and a half furlongs: Zamar won, Belle of Niles second, Hessville third; time 0:56½.

Six furlongs: Cassack won, Fusillier second, Disturbance third; time 1:17.

Six furlongs: Magnet won, Hi Henry second, Lillian E. third; time 1:14¾.

One mile and an eighth, hurdle: San Gabriel won, Lord Lonsdale second, Baldur third; time 2:07½.

One mile: Redskin won, John Hickey second, Sull Ros third; time 1:42½.

The Cincinnati Races.

CINCINNATI (O.,) April 18.—Prince Imperial suffered defeat today at Newport, after twelve straight victories at New Orleans and Newport. The track was fast.

Seven furlongs: Judge Denny won, Adonis second, Hardenburg third; time 1:28¾.

Four and a half furlongs: Dunlos won, Newport second, The Blossom third; time 0:55.

Five furlongs: Gateway won, Rubber Neck second, Vesper third; time 1:01¼.

One mile: Sidkel won, Prince Imperial second, Warwick third; time 1:41½.

One mile and twenty yards: Muskalonge won, Master Fred second La Fiesta third; time 1:44.

At Memphis.

MEMPHIS (Tenn.,) April 18.—A holiday throng of 7000 visited Montgomery Park today.

Four and a half furlongs: Manzanita won, Cappie second, Galilee third; time 0:57¼.

One mile: Robert Latta won, Miss Clark second, Mercury third; time 1:44.

One mile and a sixteenth: Buck Massie won, Maurice second, Rey del Mar third; time 1:49.

Seven furlongs: Defy won, Dutch Arrow second, Wild Arrow third; time 1:30½.

Four furlongs: Tin Cup won, Marie C. second, Mazeppa third; time 0:51½.

Seven furlongs: Royal Choice won, Overella second, Old Dominion third; time 1:30.

Seven furlongs: Adraix won, Santa Maria second, Constantine third; time 1:30¾.

Dauntless Bicycle Factory Wrecked.

TOLEDO (O.,) April 18.—By the explosion of a barrel of gasoline in the Dauntless bicycle factory tonight the entire plant was wrecked. The fire communicated to the Toledo Machine and Tool Works, where many valuable patterns were ruined. Many of them cannot be replaced. Their loss will amount to $40,000 with insurance at $30,000.

Tennis Championship.

STANFORD NIUVERSITY, April 18.—Stanford won the intercollegiate tennis championship for 1896 this forenoon. Freeman and Pitcher represented Stanford; Magee and Gage represented Berkeley. In the singles, Gagee won from Freeman, Pitcher from Gage. Stanford won in teh doubles by a large margin. This gave Stanford the necessary five points for the championship.

Judgment Against the Octopus.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—A jury in Judge Daingerfield's court tonight gave George N. Martin judgment for $25,000 damages against the Southern Pacific Company. Martin, although the possessor of a good ticket, was put off a train at Towles because the conductor thought the ticket had been sold by a scalper.

VISIT the Norwalk ostrich farm; thirty minutes from Los Angeles.

Surrender.

Take all of me—I am thine own, heart, soul,
Brain, body—all; all that I am or dream
Is thine forever; yea, though space should teem
With thy conditions, I'd fulfill the whole—
Were to fulfill them to be loved of thee.
Oh, love me; so to die would be
To live forever. Let me hear thee say
Once only, "Dear, I love thee"—then all life
Would be one sweet remembrance—thou its king:
Nay, thou art that already, and the strife
Of twenty worlds could not uncrown thee, bring,
O Time! my monarch to possess his throne
Which is my heart and for himself alone.

—(Amelia Rives Chanler.

An Oil Cargo.

VENTURA, April 18.—The oil steamer Loomis docked at 2 p.m. and will clear for Rodeo at 10 o'clock with 6500 barrels of oil consigned to the Union Oil Company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith of Ash Hurst Colony, Cal., were the guests at a reception tendered them yesterday by the Colonial Club of New York city. After the reception a meeting of the Investigation Committee of the club was held, at which the committee reported that, after having on behalf of the Colonial Clubs of New York, Chicago and Massachusetts, visited and inspected the representative communities at Fresno, the San Joaquin Valley, Riverside, Los Angeles and San Diego, it unanimously and emphatically considered that the Upper Sacramento Valley offers superior advantages to colonists as a place for settlement. Addresses were delivered by T. B. Wakeman, Charles A. Wells, W. S. Smith and others.

A Parkersburg, W. Va., dispatch says ex-Gov. Arthus Booreman of West Virginia, the war-governor, is dying.

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CIRCULATION.

Sworn Weekly Statement of the Circulation of the Los Angeles Times.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, SS.

Personally appeared before me, H. G. Otis, president and general manager of the Times-Mirror Company, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says that the daily circulation records and daily pressroom reports of the office show that the bona fide editions of The Times for each day of the week ended April 18, 1896, were as follows:

Sunday,	April 12	23,850
Monday,	" 13	17,200
Tuesday,	" 14	17,360
Wednesday,	" 15	17,570
Thursday,	" 16	17,500
Friday,	" 17	17,750
Saturday,	" 18	18,000
Total for the week		129,230
Daily average for the week		18,461

(Signed) H. G. OTIS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of April, 1896.

(Seal) J. C. OLIVER,
Notary Public in and for Los Angeles County, State of California.

NOTE.—THE TIMES is a seven-day paper. The above aggregate, viz., 129,230 copies, issued by us during the seven days of the past week, would, if apportioned on the basis of a six-day evening paper, give a daily average circulation for each week-day of 21,538 copies.

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SPECIAL NOTICES—

STOLEN—CERTIFICATES OF STOCK OF the Farmers and Merchants' Manufacturing and Trading Company of Phoenix, Ariz.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has recently discovered that the following-described certificates of corporate stock of the Farmers and Merchants' Manufacturing and Trading Company have been stolen from a private locker of the undersigned in the safe of said company at its office in the city of Phoenix, Ariz., together with one or two rubber stamps making the impress of the signature of the undersigned:

Certif. No.	No. Shares.	Date of issue.	To whom issued.
4	50	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner
5	50	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner
6	100	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner
7	100	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner
8	150	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner
9	150	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner
10	200	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner
11	200	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner
12	200	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner
13	700	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner
14	1000	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner
15	1000	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner
16	1000	Sept. 29, 1892.	John J. Gardiner

None of said stock has been sold, assigned, transferred or delivered to any party by the undersigned, or by his authority. All parties are warned against dealing with or handling any of the above-described certificates.

Dated Phoenix, Ariz., April 4, 1896.
22 J. J. GARDINER.

HALL OF INVENTIONS, CORNER SECOND and Broadway. Parties with a small capital will do well to investigate the following business propositions, bearing on "nursing," "chicken ranch," "soap works," "delicacy store," "candy kitchen," "strawberry culture," "office," "dyeing," and "profitable manufacturing business." 19

ON EVERY SATURDAY EVENING AFTER March 28, the State Loan and Trust Company will be open from 7 to 8:30 p.m., for the benefit of its interest-bearing depositors, which are received at 3, 4 and 5 per cent. per annum. The safe-deposit department will also be open during the same hours to accommodate its patrons.

WANTED — LADIES AND GENTLEMEN for an amateur club, study of Shakespeare's plays, thoroughly instructed and coached; evening classes. Call or address SCHOOL OF ELOCUTION AND DRAMATIC ART, 816 S. Pearl st. 19

WANTED—COAST—ARE YOU GOING FOR vacation and desire a reliable gentleman to assume charge of premises during absence? Negotiate now with GEO. H. PARKER, Hall of Inventions, cor. Second and Broadway. 19

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHES CLEANED, dyed and renovated by a new process which does not shrink or put the clothes out of shape; all work guaranteed. BOSTON STEAM DYE WORKS, 256 New High st. 19

NEW GERMAN ODD FELLOWS' LODGE, Alemannia Lodge, will organize about July 1; all Germans of good character and health are invited to call at 220 S. MAIN to fill out application.

WILL PARTIES WHO SAW LADY THROWN from car at Sixth and Broadway on April 5, about 4:30, please send name and address to WM. T. BLAKELY, 217 New High st. 19

TO BUILDERS—WANTED, TO EXCHANGE good lot in Bonnie Brae district, part payment for building house. Address L, box 25, TIMES OFFICE. 19

NOTICE—PARTNERSHIP HAVING BEEN dissolved, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by Parker & Petchner.
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CHOICE LA FIESTA VIEW SEATS NEXT to exit of parades on Hope st., in the shade and clean; secure them Monday on the site. J. VANDAM. 19

THE ONLY "AUTOMATIC" SEWING MAchine on earth. WILLCOX & GIBBS S. M. CO., 321 W. Fourth st., Los Angeles, Cal. 25

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CHURCH NOTICES—
And Society Meetings.

FIRST SPIRITUAL SOCIETY (INCORPOrated,) Memorial Hall, I.O.O.F. Building, 220½ S. Main st. W. J. Colville, the eminent Boston metaphysician and lecturer, will speak twice today; subject, afternoon, 2:30, "The Ethical and Spiritual Import of Woman Suffrage;" evening, 7:30, "The Joys and the Sorrows of Satan." E. A. Whitelaw, the violin virtuoso, will render the "Flower Song" and other masterpieces; Prof. Barnett and Little Zoe will chant the Lord's Prayer, by special request; a musical arrangement of their own composition.

W. J. Colville's subjects for Sunday, April 26, will be: 2:30 p.m., "Is the Sermon on the Mount Practical Today?" 7:30 p.m., "Why Does Not God Kill the Devil? or the Problem of Good and Evil." The hall will be crowded; come early to secure seats.

There will be no social given by the ladies this week, but a grand musical and literary entertainment will be given, in which W. J. Colville and E. A. Whitelaw will participate; followed by a dance, on Monday evening, April 27, in Music Hall, 231 S. Spring st., for the benefit of the society. Admission to all 25c. The friends will please keep this in mind; also the Friday evening lectures of W. J. Colville in Banquet Hall, I.O.O.F. building, to which admission has been reduced to 10c. 19

PROF. FRED BELL, LECTURER AND psychic teacher, will speak at the Friday Morning Club Hall, 230½ S. Broadway, this (Sunday) evening at 7:45 o'clock, on one of the most vital questions of the hour, "Heredity, or the Cause of All the Moral, Mental and Physical Irregularities of Humanity." It will be of interest to those of advanced psychic thought to know that Prof. Bell is remaining permanently in Los Angeles, and will ever be found speaking and teaching along a line of thought most helpful to humanity. At the lecture this evening, Prof. Bell will sing special solos. Collection at the door, 10 cents. 19

SIMPSON METHODIST EPISCOPAL TABERnacle—11 a.m., sermon by Dr. C. C. McLean, at 7:30 p.m., by Rev. J. M. Crawford of Ohio; 9:30, Sabbath-school; 6:30 p.m., Epworth League. Everybody welcome. 19

CHURCH NOTICES—
And Society Meetings.

CHURCH OF ST. PAUL, THE APOSTLE; (Episcopal,) Olive st., opposite the park, in the center of the city, within walking distance of all the principal hotels; seats free; all strangers welcome. Holy communio, 8 a.m.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 a.m.; subject, "Too Many Churches." Music, "Te Deum" (Culkin) in C; Mr. Marion Wigmore will sing at the offertory, "Who May Abide the Day?" Full choral evensong, 7:30 p.m.; subject, "The Doctrine of Freedom as Expounded by Col. Ingersoll." 19

THE HARMONIAL SPIRITUALIST ASSOciation meets every Sunday afternoon and evening in their Music Hall, 231 S. Spring st., Mrs. Ada Foye, pastor. At 2:30 a conference or medium meeting, closing with tests by Mrs. Foye. Evening services commence at 7:30, with an inspirational address upon "Mediumship and Its Laws," following with tests and messages from our spirit friends. Piano solo, Mrs. Sanford Johnson; contralto solo, by Mrs. Emma Sherwood. 19

CHURCH OF THE UNITY (UNITARIAN,) cor. Third and Hill sts., Rev. J. S. Thomson, pastor.; service Sunday at 11 a.m.; Sabbath-school 9:30 a.m. Subject, Sunday morning, "Christ's Sermon on the Mount." There will be no evening service. 19

MRS. BOOTH-TUCKER, THE NEW LEADER of the Salvation Army, will deliver an address at Illinois Hall this morning and evening; also at Congregational Church in afternoon. Admission 25c; 10c in evening. Other meetings free. 19

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, FIGUEroa and 20th sts. Services today at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Burt Estes Howard. Members received by letter or on profession every Sabbath during the morning service. 19

IMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, cor. 10th and Pearl.; Rev. W. J. Chichester, D.D., pastor, will preach at 11 a.m.; Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m.; evening service at 7:30 p.m. Everybody welcome. 19

FIRST — UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, CALEdonia Hall, 119½ S. Spring st., Rev. A. A. Rice, pastor; Sunday-school, 10 a.m.; preaching, 11 a.m.; subject, "Dangers Attending Conversion from Orthodoxy." 19

EAST LOS ANGELES BAPTIST CHURCH, Rev. George E. Dye, pastor. Morning theme by pastor, "Progressive Christianity." Night theme, "Glory." Seats free. Baptism at the morning service. 19

TRINITY M.E. CHURCH SOUTH, ON GRAND ave. bet. Eighth and Ninth sts; services conducted by the pastor, J. J. W. Kenney, at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Excellent music. Come.

BISHOP JOHNSON WILL PREACH AND administer confirmation at Christ Church, Flower and Pico streets, today at 11 a.m. Seats free. 19

THE NEW CHRISTIANITY CHURCH (SWEdenborgian,) meets at 1152 MAPLE AVE., 3 p.m. Rev. W. W. WELSH, pastor. All welcome.

THE NEW CHURCH, SWEDENBORGIAN—Dr. Samuel Worcester, minister, Temperance Temple, Broadway and Temple st., 11 a.m. 19

THE PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL Church, services Sundays 11 a.m., 7:30 p.m. N. T. EDWARDS, pastor.

Y.M.C.A. — MR. W. T. STUCHELL WILL speak at 3 p.m. to men only. Subject, "New Patriotism." 19

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES, 10:30 A. m. 254 Main st., subject "The Prodigal Son." 19

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Young German girl to assist, $10 etc.; waitress for private family, from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m., Tuesday, $1.50 etc.; housegirl, short distance out, $20 etc.; tailoress for repairing and altering, $5 per week; housegirl, Angelina st., $5 week etc.; housegirl, E. Seventh st., $15 etc.; girl to assist, $12 etc., no washing or cooking; housegirl, Palm Springs, $20 etc.; housegirl, Crafton, $20 etc.; housegirl, Orange st., $25 etc.; housegirl, Rivera, $20 etc.; housegirl, 16th st., $20 etc.; nursegirl, 2 children, $15 etc.; girl to assist, East Los Angeles, $15 etc.; housegirl, Santa Ana, $20 to $25 etc.

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Two extra waitresses, 6 chairs, $10 week; extra waitress, $1.50 day; steady waitress, beach, $20 to $25 etc.; chambermaid, 3 hours each day, $3 etc. per week; book-keeper who can do shorthand work, $25 to begin; woman to take charge ironing-room, new laundry, Arizona, $10 per week and fare paid; first-class starch ironer, country, $1.50 per day, steady work; 4 waitresses, Fiesta week, 2 meals, 50c per meal; waitress, country hotel, steady, $20 etc. and fare; 10 extra waitresses for 1 week, $1.50 per day.
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WANTED—BIDS FOR RAISING AND UNderpinning a 20-room, 2-story lodging-house; may bid for work only or for furnishing material and work. Address CASH, Times office. 19

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WANTED — RAG-CARPET WEAVER TO call at 1628 PLEASANT AVE., Boyle Heights, for work; call mornings. 20

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WANTED — A YOUNG WOMAN AS PUPIL nurse to prepare for sanitarium work; full course in nursing; also girl for general housework. 947 S. BROADWAY. 19

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WANTED—BY MANUFACTURING HOUSE, 3 ladies and 2 gentlemen as representatives in adjoining town. Address MANUFACTURER, Times office. 19

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Situations, Male.

WANTED — A YOUNG MAN TAKING A technical course in steam engineering wishes to qualify by gaining practical experience under a competent engineer, as fireman or assistant engineer in a large manufacturing plant, or will run a small stationary engine having had some experience. Character references given if required; wages not so much an object as steady employment and a higher practical expeurience in steam engineering; give me a chance. Address L, box 97, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—HORTICULTURIST WANTS POsition as foreman, has had 24 years practical experience in all its branches, with some of the leading nurserymen and orchardists of California and Europe. Address M, box 59, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—A GENTLEMAN OF CULTURE and refinement wants a position; fine scholar, excellent penman, good conversationalist; superior credentials. Address for interview, L, box 43, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED— SITUATION BY YOUNG MAN as book-keeper, assistant, or as correspondent in wholesale house or office; has had experience and can give references. Address L, box 15, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED— BY A MIDDLE-AGED MAN, A situation as dry-goods clerk, either in city or country town; have had 15 years' experience; can give good references. Address M, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — POSITION BY JAPANESE, faithful honest young man, has recommendation to do cooking, small hotel or boarding house, or big family of any kind. H, 442½ S. SPRING ST. 21

WANTED — SITUATION AS FIST-CLASS bread, cake and pastry baker; good ornamenter and ice-cream maker; 20 years' experience; best of references. Address M, box 20, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—SITUATION BY STEADY, RELIable practical printer and experienced newspaper man, in any branch of printing business; wages no object. Address M, box 17, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED— YOUNG MARRIED COUPLE without children will take care of house for parties while away for the summer; best of references. Answer at once, P. O. BOX No. 517. 19

WANTED—CLERKSHIP OR OFFICE POsition by a man who has had experience in commercial and banking business; best of references. Address L, box 77, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED— POSITION BY MARRIED MAN with 8 years' experience as weigher and manager of grain warehouses; good references. Address M, box 89, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED — ACTIVE AND WELL-EDUcated young man seeks employment; office or scholastic; only small remuneration asked. Address K, box 97, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—A JAPANESE WISHES A SITUation, any work in the morning and evening, that could have own time in the day. Address M, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — A SITUATION; FIRST-CLASS coachman, gardener. Address K, box 75, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—TO CUT 10,000 CORDS OF STOVE wood; steam machine. D. T. CLARK, 670 S. Daley. 20

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG MAN; speaks English and German; as clerk, or cashier; capable of taking charge. Address L, box 67, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—ACTIVE AND WELL-EDUCATED young man will give his services for room and board on ranch. Address K, box 97, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED — BY A MAN WITH HORSE, A laundry route or any other kind of soliciting or delivering. Address M, box 3, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG MAN IN private family; is willing and obliging; good references. Address M, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 21

WANTED— FIESTA; RELIABLE WOMAN wants houses or children to mind, per hour or day or night; references. 141 S. BROADWAY. 19

WANTED—SITUATION BY TRUSTWORTHY man as coachman or gardener; city reference. Address K, box 50, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG MAN as gardener or coachman; city references. Address M, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED butler or as valet for gentleman; good references. J. P. A., 319 N. BROADWAY. 24

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN, A SITUAtion as coachman and gardener; city references. Address J. H. P., BOX 276. 19

WANTED—BY CAPABLE JAPANESE BOY, position as first-class cook or waiter. Address C. N., 209 E. FIRST ST. 18

WANTED— BY BRIGHT YOUNG MAN OF good address, position of any kind. Address L, box 63, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—BY TRUSTWORTHY MAN, THE care of invalid gentleman; highest references. Address 244 S. OLIVE. 19

WANTED—BY JAPANESE, SITUATION AS cook and housework in family. G. S. T., 430 N. MAIN ST., room 19. 20

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

WANTED—SMART YOUNG COLORED WOman desires work; to cook, wait table or anything; dinners and luncheons of game, ices and jellies gotten up and served without assistance; refers by permission to wife of President Elliot of First National Bank; has lived also with Mrs. Ozro Childs. MATTIE MAYE, 211 San Pedro st. 20

WANTED— BY AN EDUCATED YOUNG lady of pleasing appearance, and who actually needs employment, a position in an office or store. No incumbrance, and willing to do most anything. Must have work. Address L, box 21, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—BY FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKer, elegant cutter and designer, more engagements by day or week; will also take work home; all latest French and Vienna styles. Call or address DRESSMAKER, 236 S. Grand ave., near Second. 20

WANTED—TO WORK BY THE DAY, OR A situation to do general housework for a small family, by a competent colored woman. Address CARRIE, Station M, corner of 12th st. and Central ave. 19

WANTED— DAY WORK BY COMPETENT woman; excellent laundress, expert on fine lace curtains; will take work home. Apply HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 300 W. Second st., cor. Broadway. Tel. 509. 19

WANTED—BY RELIABLE PERSON, SITUAtion for general housework in small family; no children; comfortable home more desirable than large salary. Address J, box 96, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED— POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER for hotel, rooming-house or widower's family, by one that understands and can attend to her business. Address M, box 36, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—BY A LADY WITH DAUGHTER 7 years old, a position; is a good, experienced cook and housekeeper. Call on or address MRS. E. S., 310 E. First st., L. A. 19

WANTED—BY A LADY WITH LONG EXperience as housekeeper and care of children, a situation in either capacity. Address V, box 57, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—BY A YOUNG LADY, POSITION as saleslady in dry-goods store; will work 1 month without salary while learning. Address 101 N. BUNKER HILL AVE. 19

WANTED—BY A GRADUATE NURSE OF Massachusetts General Hospital; number of years' experience; preference, invalids. Call 124½ S. SPRING, room 7. 20

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG GERman girl in an American family without children; country preferred. Address M, box 21, TIMES OFFICE. 21

WANTED—SITUATIONS BY TWO COMPEtent girls; one for general housework or second work, the other as cook. Please call at 229 S. HILL ST. 20

WANTED — SITUATION AS GOVERNESS, teach German and English, high recommendations given. Address L, box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—SITUATION TO DO WASHING, ironing and house cleaning or any kind of housework by the day. LYDIA R. TODD, Station S, city. 21

WANTED — BY A FIRST-CLASS SEAMstress, situation as children's nurse or invalid. Address with references, 2103 S. GRAND AVE. 19

WANTED— SITUATION AS TRAVELING companion, companion or housekeeper, by a North German. Address E. MROS, 125 E. Fourth st. 21

WANTED—ELDERLY LADY, WIDOW, GERman, good cook, wishes position as housekeeper for widow. Address L, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—SITUATION AS SALESLADY IN millinery or notion department; good references. Address L, box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — A GOOD, ALL-ROUND COOK and wife wishes a situation in hotel, country or beach. JONES, 411 W. Fifth st., west door. 19

WANTED — SITUATION, EXPERIENCED German cook; good worker; city or country. 605 S. SPRING ST. Call Monday. 19

WANTED—POSITION BY STENOGRAPHER, without much experience; first month $5. Address L, box 76, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—BY A YOUNG LADY, A PLACE to work mornings and evenings. Address 725 S. BROADWAY. Call mornings. 19

WANTED—AS AN ASSISTANT COMPANion in a well-to-do small family; low wages. 325 S. HILL, room 1. 19

WANTED—BY YOUNG WOMAN; WORK BY the day, laundry or housework. 427½ SAN PEDRO ST., room 8. 19

WANTED—CARE CHILD OR CHILDREN, home as their own. Address L, box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—A SITUATION AS HOUSEKEEPer and seamstress. Address L, box 62, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — HOUSEWORK BY GOOD GERman cook. Call or address ROOM 6, 121½ S. Broadway. 19

WANTED—WORK; TO GO OUT BY THE day or take home. Address L, box 20, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—SITUATIONS TO DO CHAMBERwork by 2 girls. Address M, box 28, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—SITUATION DOING CHAMBERwork or taking care of child. 319 N. BROADWAY. 20

WANTED —BY ELDERLY GERMAN LADY, general housework. Call 223 S. MAIN ST. 20

WANTED—SITUATION BY A COMPETENT German girl; houseworker. 650 S. HILL. 19

WANTED—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—AGENTS EVERYWHERE; OUR wonderful novelties pay $4 daily sure; no experience required; demand never supplied; catalogue free; sample 10c. ALUMINUM NOVELTY CO., 335 Broadway, New York.

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WANTED—AGENTS; LONG'S SOLID MUCIlage pencil outsells, outlasts anything in the market. Call or address R. H. BALDWIN, 28th and Vermont ave. 17-19

WANTED — AGENT; A RARE OPPORTUnity to make $5 a day without interference in other occupation. Address M, box 43, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—AGENTS FOR IDEAL SEWING machine, $8; and partner wanted with $200 for office work. IDEAL CO., 404 S. Broadway. 19

WANTED— AGENTS; IDEAL $8 SEWING machines. 404 S. BROADWAY. 19

WANTED—
Rooms and Board.

WANTED — ROOM AND BOARD BY GENtleman and wife and 2 children; connecting rooms, sunny exposure; neighborhood of Bonnie Brae; high ground; must be first-class. Address B, box 1, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—1 OR 2 YOUNG MEN WILL TAKE board and room in exchange for piano; private family, southwest. Call 427 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—
Partners.

FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A business, I have the best established and paying employment and business chance office in the city, and want partner to do inside work while I hustle on the outside; there is profit enough in it for me, and why not for you? Cash required, $350. Address M, box 25, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — TO MEET A BRIGHT, RELIable, energetic man to join me in a business enterprise; must be of first-class appearance; to such a man can offer good opening; best of references given and required. Address M, box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—PARTNER TO TAKE ½ INTERest in a well-established business, netting $30 per week, strictly first-class in every respect; duties, office work; capital required $350. BUSH & MACKEIGAN, 358 S. Broadway. 19

WANTED— PARTNER; HAVE NEAT LITtle store, which demands another, lady preferable; established 2 years; income from start; investigation courted. Address M, box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—PARTY TO TAKE ½ INTEREST of the best business on the Coast, to have full charge of home office and stock; references given and required. 245 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 19

WANTED — YOUNG MAN WITH $100 TO start a chicken ranch; must thoroughly understand the business; have large ranch. Address M, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—PARTNER IN A1 PAYING BUSIness proposition; will bear strictest investigation for business proposition. Address L, box 87, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — BUSINESS CARDS, $1 PER thousand; other printing in proportion. PACIFIC PRINTING PLANT, 217 New High. Tel. 1400. 19

WANTED— PARTNER; LIVE MAN WITH $500 to $1000 for profitable enterprise; references exchanged. Room 221, BYRNE BLDG. 19

WANTED—A PARTNER; BEST OPPORTUnity to make money; small capital required. Address M, box 32, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—PARTY WITH $300 CAN JOIN IN opening new business; a speciality. Address L, box 72, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—$400; PARTNER, GOOD SALESman; will pay good income. Address L, box 9, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—PARTNER; OFFICE BUSINESS; $200; exclusive agency. IDEAL CO., 404 S. Broadway. 19

WANTED—SEE AD OF M, BOX 49, UNDER heading of "Business Opportunities" today. 19

WANTED—
To Purchase.

WANTED— TO BUY A HOUSE OF FROM 6 to 10 rooms, well located, and pay for it ½ cash, balance in good clear property, good as cash; we mean business and want a business proposition. O'BRIEN INVESTMENT CO., 346 S. Broadway. 19

WANTED HOUSES—

Will buy 5 or 6-room house or cottage, not over 20 blocks from Times office, at reasonable price, and pay $25 per month; give exact location, price and terms. Address K, box 21, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD buy half or whole interest of well-located small grocery, requiring small capital; must have good line customers and do cash business; agents need not answer; address, with reasons for selling, L, box 81, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—A NEW, MODERN HOUSE, 8 OR 10 rooms, bet. 23d, 30th, Grand ave. and Hoover; must be first-class and a bargain for spot cash; we have a customer ready for the right place at the right price. POINDEXTER & WADSWORTH, 305 W. Second. 21

WANTED—TO BUY 3 TO 5 ACRES IMproved, near foothills, Monrovia or Glendora preferred; pay $500 cash and $1000 clear residence in Santa Ana, Cal. COLVIN & HUNTINGTON, 232 W. First st., Los Angeles, or Santa Ana, Cal. 19

WANTED— A HOUSE OF 10 ROOMS, WITH large lot, bet. 23rd and Jefferson and east of Hoover; must be new and have all modern improvements, and a bargain for cash. F. A. HUTCHINSON, 330 S. Broadway. 20

WANTED — 10 TO 40 ACRES OF GOOD land, improved preferred, near railroad or city; value not over $6000; answer, describing fully, with price. Address L, box 80, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—I HAVE A PARTY WANTING 5 acres in the Cahuenga Valley, near car line. If you have any land there come and see me or send full particulars. L. H. MITCHEL, 136 S. Broadway. 19

WANTED— TO BUY BICYCLE FOR CASH; high-grade, second-hand, in good condition; must be a bargain; state name, year and price.; Address M, box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—WE HAVE A CUSTOMER FOR lodging-house, close in; 20 to 25 rooms; must be a bargain; will pay part cash, balance monthly. CREASINGER, 247 S. Broadway.

WANTED— HOUSE 6 TO 8 ROOMS, GOOD location, not over $2000; first payment 2 good lots, Boyle Heights, balance installments; owners only. 732 S. FLOWER ST. 19

WANTED—A GOOD SECOND-HAND EXpress wagon, or horse and wagon. Apply afternoons at LOS ANGELES STONEWARE CO., 423 E. Wall st., East Los Angeles. 19

WANTED—TO BUY A 5 OR 6-ROOM HOUSE, to be moved out to Pico Heights; will pay cash. MACKNIGHT & CO., room 225 Byrne building cor. Third and Broadway. 19

WANTED — HOUSES AND LOTS BEtween Seventh and 27th, from Figueroa to Vermont; have cash customer. R. A. NEWLYN, 231 Byrne building. 19

WANTED — TO PURCHASE A PART OR entire interest in a business in Los Angeles; have $3000 to $5000 to invest. Address L, box 34, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—CITY OR RANCH PROPERTY to sell or trade; it will pay you to see COLVIN & HUNTINGTON, 232 W. First st., Los Angeles, or Santa Ana, Cal. 19

WANTED—WE HAVE A CUSTOMER WHO will pay cash or trade real estate for a stock of groceries. J. C. OLIVER & CO., 256 S. Broadway. 19

WANTED — TO BUY; CASH FOR EQUITY in close-in property; I am no agent; give price, description and location, to K, box 73, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—TO PURCHASE THE BEST LOT that $600 will buy, within 11th, Georgia Bell, Hoover and 31st sts. Address L, box 99, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—TO PURCHASE LAND IN CAhuenga Valley near electric line, from 10 acres up. Address L, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — SECOND-HAND PRINTING press and outfit, hand or foot power, 10x13 or smaller. Address L, box 28, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—A FEW HOURS NIGHT WORK; book-keeping, or anything, best of references. Address L, box 85, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — IF YOU WANT TO PURCHASE anything and have not enough money, see 229 BYRNE BUILDING; it will help you out. 19

WANTED—TO BUY FURNITURE AND ANYthing you have to sell, spot cash. E. A. MILLER & CO., auctioneers, 435 S. Spring.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE AT A BARgain, horse and buggy in good condition. Address M, box 54, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — TO PURCHASE; A 6-SHOOTER, holster pistol, Colt's, 38 caliber preferred. Address L, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — REFINED YOUNG WOMAN would like position as working housekeeper. Address M, box 53, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—TO PURCHASE MORTGAGES; money to loan. CHARLES LANTZ, attorney-at-law, room 92, Temple Block. 19

WANTED — A GOOD COLLECTION OF postage stamps for cash, or in exchange. Address H, box 32, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — AN AGENT TO SELL NEW 5-room cottage, bath, etc., in the University tract. OWNER, 612 N. Griffin ave. 19

WANTED—A HORSE AND LIGHT WAGON, cheap for cash, or will exchange safe for same. Apply 620 S. SPRING. 19

WANTED — TO BUY HOUSE AND LOT, $30 per month; no cash payment. Address L, box 91, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—A TYPEWRITER; MUST BE IN perfect order and cheap. V. G. TURMAN, San Bernardino, Cal. 20

WANTED—HORSE AND BUGGY, PIANO, or furniture, as payment on lot. SIDDELL, 404 S. Broadway. 19

WANTED — TO PURCHASE ABOUT 1500 feet 2½ iron pipe. Address M, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — TO PURCHASE FIRE-PROOF safe. GARDNER & OLIVER, book store, 106 S. Spring st. 21

WANTED — GENTS' CAST-OFF CLOTHing; I pay a big price. Address MISFIT, 223 E. First st. 23

WANTED— FINE BAR FIXTURES, SAFE and register. Address M, box 48, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—
To Purchase.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE SECOND-HAND typewriter. Address L, box 83, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—TO BUY SECOND-HAND ONE-inch water pipe. Address 415 S. SPRING ST. 19

WANTED—A NEW SECOND-HAND STORE wants furniture. 617 S. SPRING ST.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE A DRIVING horse. R. F. CLARK, 1740 Hoover. 19

WANTED—
To Rent.

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Reliable business man wants 5 or 6-room cottage, south of Temple, west of Central ave., must be in good condition and location and reasonable rent; small family, permanent tenant; give exact location and price. Address M, box 62, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—TO RENT FROM MAY 1, A 5 OR 6-room furnished modern cottage, for six months or more; will furnish own bedding, table linen and silverware; best of care and references. Address L, box 49, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — TO LEASE WITHIN TWELVE blocks of Courthouse, a well-finished 6-room house or flat; must have nice surroundings and be in every way desirable; reply with full particulars, L, box 30, TIMES OFFICE. 21

WANTED — A FURNISHED FLAT! OR cottage of 4 or 5 rooms; must be well furnished, modern conveniences, close in and on electric car lines. Address L, box 35, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — TO RENT A COMFORTABLY furnished house of 5 or 6 rooms; rent reasonable; no children; state price; possession April 25. Address M, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED— FURNISHED ROOM IN EXchange for lessons in shorthand or telegraphy. Address L, box 44, TIMES OFFICE. 19

IF THOMAS MURRAY, FORMERLY OF Phoenix, will leave his address at this box he will hear something to his advantage. P, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED— MAY 1, 4 OR 5-ROOM HOUSE, south of Washington and west of Main st.; state rental and location. Address M, box 27, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—BY MAY 1, 6 OR 7-ROOM MODern house, close in; good location; desirable yearly tenant. BUSH & MACKEIGAN, 358 S. Broadway. 19

TO LET—IF YOU WANT TO RENT YOUR house, the quickest way is to see R. A. NEWLYN, 231 Byrne Building. 21

WANTED—WINDOW TO RENT TO VIEW parade. Apply 519 S. SPRING ST., room 3. 19

WANTED—
Miscellaneous.

WANTED—PARTNERS TO JOIN ME IN A straight mining proposition; one you can investigate before investing in; there is a stake in these mines for all of us if properly managed; with proper parties, willing to invest a few hundred dollars to put a mill in and straighten everything in working order; wood and water plenty and near railroad; 20 men can now take out ore enough to run a 10-stamp mill steady; do not fail to answer, for this is your opportunity to make a stake. Address C, box 82, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE — TO GO INTO BUSINESS there is always a risk; you may make money and you may not; we can invest money at 3 to 10 per cent. a month without any risk; are you satisfied with that? If so, see R. A. NEWLYN, 231 Byrne building. 19

WANTED—AT REDLANDS; A BUYER FOR beautiful home place of nearly 3 acres, mostly navel oranges, all in bearing; good cottage, 6 rooms, most beautifully located; 1 mile from postoffice; cheap for cash. Address P. O. BOX 2, Messina, Cal. 19

WANTED—SEE CHAPEL AT 132 SOUTH Broadway for alfalfa and fruit ranches; he has been in this country 23 years, and has a large and select list of bargains in small ranches near city. 19

WANTED—A CLASS IN CANDY-MAKING; persons desiring to make their own candies during La Fiesta call Monday, bet. 10 and 12 a.m., 618½ S. SPRING ST., room 28. Terms cheap. 19

WANTED— ALL PERSONS HAVING DANdruff and falling-out of hair and wish to be cured to call upon A. W. FISHER, 563 S. Hope st., corner of Sixth. 19

WANTED—A CART AND HARNESS FOR A small Shetland pony; must be in first-class condition and cheap for cash. R. A. NEWLYN, 229 Byrne Bldg. 19

WANTED—SOME ONE TO BUILD HOUSE and barn in exchange for good equity in house and lot. Call or address 536 SAND ST., room 6. 19

WANTED— IF YOU HAVE A BUSINESS place to sell, list it with me; special attention given. CREASINGER, 247 S. Broadway. 19

WANTED — ALFALFA LAND, 60 TO 150 acres; we have a buyer; see us at once. J. M. TAYLOR & CO; 102 S. Broadway. 22

WANTED—WILL STORE GOOD PIANO FOR use of it; best of references; no children. Address L, box 71, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED— BY CHRISTIAN LADY, A LITtle child to board; nice grounds; references. 1012 TEMPLE ST. 19

WANTED— A PIANO TO TAKE CARE OF for its use; no children. Address K, box 37, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED —A CHEAP LOT IN WALNUT Grove tract. E. C. CRIBB & CO., or R. C. O'BRYAN. 19

WANTED — AT ROOM 15, TEMPERANCE TEMPLE, Rockford air brush in good order. 19

WANTED—PIANO FOR STORAGE; BEST of care, Address C. B., 803 S. Grand ave. 19

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Land.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—

By LERCH & M'MANNON,
303 Currier Block.

Sherman, the electric city; have you seen it? There's money to be made there. Lots from $100 up.

8-room house on W. 30th st., lot 50x150; a bargain at $5000.

51 feet on Broadway; a snap if taken at once.

Lot on Eighth st., magnificent view; cheapest in city: only $1400.

2 choice lots, Urmston tract; on Bryant street, $500 each.

Brick block, corner Third and Central ave., at a price that will net you 10 per cent.

Lot on Pico near Alvarado; just think of it, only $400.

2 houses and lots on 27th st., half-block from Figueroa; $3000 takes both.

Can furnish you a home in beautiful Cahuenga Valley, in tracts to suit you, at prices that will startle you.

10 acres in Hollywood, good house, all in 6-year-old oranges and lemons; good income, for $1,000.

40 acres navel oranges, at Frostless San Dimas, at a bargain.

$500 acres good alfalfa or stock ranch, 5 miles east of Fullerton, $10,000.

Good business block at Riverside, paying $170 per month, will exchange for Los Angeles, Denver or Kansas city.

Good livery stable for sale at a bargain.

Money to loan in small and large amounts.

Have a party who wants to trade for good buggy and harness.

3 acres, the most sightly place in the city; commodious house, beautiful grounds, magnificent view; if you want a home that will remind you of paradise, come and see us.

If you have any first-class business propositions we can furnish you buyers.
19 LERCH & M'MANNON, 303 Currier Block.

FOR SALE—AT A GREAT BARGAIN, 15 acres on Central ave. car line, ripe for subdivision; this place is well improved; has an 8-room modern house, splendid barn; all kinds of fruit in bearing; this 15 acres can be bought for less than two-thirds the price of any other property in that vicinity, and can be made to pay 20 per cent. on the price asked; orange grove 5 acres to navels 6 years out; 3 acres to Eureka lemons, the same age; 7 acres graded in fine shape ready to plant; this is frostless and has abundance of free private water piped in iron pipe to large reservoir; this is the kind of a place you get your early Christmas oranges; a beautiful location at the foothills, Duarte; price way down and a fine income; investigate this. D. A. MEEKINS, 315 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Land.

FOR SALE—BARGAINS IN LOTS—

$450—Victor Heights tract, 50x150, close to trolley line.
$500—Ninth st. close to Central ave., 40x132; have 80 feet adjoining.
$775—16th st., 52½x176; on traction line.
$800—San Julian near 11th, 50x150 feet.
$850—Central ave. near Ninth st., 51x170.
$950—Shatto st. near Union., 60x135.
$1000—Union ave. near 16th, 50x150.
$1000—Bonsallo st. near Washington, 50x124.
$1075—San Julian st., cor. 11th, 60x150.
$1200—Burlington ave., near 10th., 50x156.
100x197, northwest corner on paved portion of Figueroa st.; price right.
90x220 feet, corner on Adams st., just west of Hoover.
89x150, corner, in South Bonnie Brae tract.
100x150—Corner on Ninth in Bonnie Brae; owner anxious to sell.
60x165 feet, corner on Hill st., close in; bargain in this.
40x125 feet, Hill st., cor. 11th.
64x155, corner on Pico, close to Grand ave.
Alvarado st., large corner, magnificent view; price will suit.
116x148, corner adjoining Harper tract, cheap.
$1800—W. State, No. 1010, 5 rooms, bath, etc
$2100—23rd st. near Grand ave., cottage; lot 60x130.
$2950—22nd st. near Union, 6 rooms, new.
$3000—18th st. near Oak, 5 rooms.
$4500—Washington st. near Oak, 8 rooms, lot 54x175.
$4500—Thompson near 23rd, 7 rooms, very choice.
$5000—Westlake ave. near Eighth, 10 rooms, barn, fine view.
$7500—Hope st. near 11th, beautiful 9-room house, decorated, 4 grates; east front, modern.
$10,000—Hill st. near Fourth; 2-story flat building; 13 rooms.
$11,000—Hill st. near 10th; 2 houses; lot 72½x159; rents $65.
$12,000—Hill st. near Eighth; 60x165; 11 rooms. HINTON & WHITAKER,
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EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,
Second and Broadway.

C. F. W. Palmer, Manager Real Estate Department.

$700—Lot, 42½x168 on Temple, near Brent st., must be sold at once.
$800—Lot, 50x150, in Adams-st. tract, adjoining good large house.
$1000—Each, for 3 lots on Pasadena ave., in best business locality.
$600—2 lots on 28th st., 2 blocks from Central ave., good for immediate building.
$700—Lot on 27th st., near Figueroa, ready to build on; this is a big sacrifice.
$900—Lot on 22d st. between Toberman and Union; ready for building.
$850—Lot on 30th st., bet. Figueroa and Hoover, ready for building.
$1200—Good corner lot, Ninth and Buckley; Ninth st. graded, sewer, etc.
$240—Lots on Dayton st., 50x125 each and sidewalks made, ½ block from Central ave. car line.
$425—Lot on E. 18th st., bet. Central ave. and San Pedro st., ready for building.
$350—Lot on W. Adams st., near Rosedale st., fine lot and very cheap.
$3800—Lot, 207x150, on Vermont ave., cor. 29th st., on Traction car line; good chance for speculation, act quick, as this price will be advanced in a few days.
$375—2 lots on Griffin st, 50x155, ready to build on.
Vacant lots in all parts of the city at lowest prices; call on us.
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., Broadway and second sts., C. F. W. Palmer, Manager Real Estate Department. 19

$550—FOR SALE—A NICE BUILDING LOT near the corner of 23d and Hoover; only a few yards from both the University electric line and the Traction line; price for a few days, only $550. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$80—FOR SALE— LOT 50x155 ON HILL ST. near Tenth; price $80 per foot. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$1690—FOR SALE— A VERY FINE RESIdence lot on Flower st., just below Pico, 50x150; price for a few days, only $1690. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$4000—FOR SALE— GOOD BUSINESS LOT, close in; size 40x95; price $4000; will double in value in a short time. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$875—FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL LOT, 50x135, near the corner of Main and 23d; price $850. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$1100—FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL LOT ON Burlington ave., Bonnie Brae tract, 50x153; price for a few days, only $1100. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$22,000—FOR SALE— A GOOD BUSINESS lot, 73½x165, bet. Fourth and Fifth sts.; price for a few days, only $22,000; this is a bargain. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$800—FOR SALE—A VERY FINE LOT, 50x125, adjoining the South Bonnie Brae tract on the bench, and at $800 is one of the cheapest lots in the city. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$3000—FOR SALE—LOT 50x150 ON FLOWer st. near Tenth; price $3000. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$13,500—FOR SALE—BUSINESS LOT, 46x165, bet. Fourth and Fifth; price $13,500. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second. 19

FOR SALE — CHOICE BUILDING SITE overlooking Westlake Park, in the Nob Hill tract; the finest view to be had in all this city; the park is at your feet, the mountains behind you, the valley to your right, and the city in front and to your left, while off in the distance you can see the mighty ocean, with the sunlight shimmering on the crests of the waves as they come rolling in but to dash themselves in utter helplessness on the sands of the shores—how was that, anyway? Well, it's every word of it true, even the "helplessness." You can actually see the breakers break, but you can't hear them roar from the Nob Hill tract; lots up that way are out of the fog, above the miasma; you know miasma is said to overhang low or flat places; I don't believe we've got any "miasmy" in or about Los Angeles, but if there is any, it can't get up on the Nob Hill tract; the street car facilities are excellent, and it only takes 12 minutes from Ocean View ave. to Broadway. Don't, oh, don't go away without seeing the Nob Hill tract; some fine houses going up out that way; just take a peep; or, better than that, come in and let me show you this choice property; lots only $1000.
19 LEONARD MERRILL, Sole Agent, 240 Bradbury Block.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE, MY WESTern addition adjoining Baptist College grounds, beyond Westlake Park. Here is an opportunity to buy in a fashionable and rapidly-growing section of the city at acreage prices.

Also my East Side addition, containing over 200 acres, 160 acres were planted in gum trees seven years ago. In 1894 I sold the wood uncut for $1400. Last year I sold the wood on the part not cut the year before for $1450. This ground will pay 8 per cent. interest on what I will sell it for now and 15 per cent. in five years, the yield increasing with age. It is within 3 miles of the center of the city. If you want productive acreage property with a good future, being available for residence purposes, this is your opportunity.

Also 166 acres fruit and alfalfa lands at $20 per acre; it is assessed at $15. This ground is situated in the finest neighborhood in the State, being 5 miles directly east of Fullerton and under the Union Anaheim water ditch.

Also 70 acres close to Perris, Riverside county.

Also 4 acres in Felippe Lugo tract.

As I am obliged to sell, here is an opportunity to get property at a great sacrifice.
HENRY T. HAZARD, No. 9 Downey Block.

FOR SALE—

SOME BARGAINS.

$550 each, 3 fine lots on paved street, Angeleño Heights; near 2 fine buildings now in course of construction, beautiful view; look this bargain up.

$3500—8-room house, modern and complete; including range, carpeting, shades; lot 50x150; with fruit trees in bearing; this is close-in property.

$2600—New and modern 6-room cottage on Maple avenue, close in and well worth the price asked.

$4000—A S.W. corner on Main st., lot 43x148; good building, with 7 large living rooms in second story, 2 storerooms below, with shelving and counters; look this bargain up.

?—Choice corner, 100x155 to alley, on Alvarado st., "Nob Hill," this fine corner can be had at an unusually low price for a few days. For further information see
20 S. K. LINDLEY, 106 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—LOTS—

$600—Lot 50x142, W. 31st st.
$650—Lot 65x135, 26th st. near Figueroa.
$675—Lot 50x125, W. 23rd st.
$750—Lot 50x125, W. 23rd st. near Hoover.
$1050—Lot 55x105, Oak, near Washington; a corner.
$550—Lot 40x150, W. First st.; a corner; streets graded.
$1050—Lot 55x110, W. 26th st.; a corner.
$1050—Lot 50x125, W. 11th st.; close in.
$1000—Lot 50x150, Alvarado st.
$1500—Lot 60x127 to alley, W. Eighth near Union.
$1000—Lot 50x150, W. Eighth st., a corner.
$650—Lot 50x148, W. 29th st., near Hoover.
$350—Lot 50x——, Angeleno Heights, near Temple.
19 GOWAN, EBERLE & CO., 143 S. Broadway.

LINERS

FOR SALE— City Lots and Land.

FOR SALE—

BY T. E. ROWAN.

$18,000—Business corner, Main and Fifth sts.; size 40x140 to an alley; terms easy.

$36,000—Spring st., 60x165, adjoining the new 3-story building of the Athletic Club; terms easy.

1400 acres, $10 per acre, 2 miles from Capistrano, facing the ocean, consisting of valley, hill and moist land; natural springs, splendidly adapted for dairy farming.

A tract of 70 acres in city limits, 2 blocks from electric cars, admirably suited for subdivision and quick sale; will sell all or part, or will exchange for property in this county; terms easy.

T. E. ROWAN, Office 4 and 7, Bryson Block, Los Angeles, Cal. 19

FOR SALE—CITY LOTS AND LANDS—
$350 to $600 apiece for those large fine lots facing on the prettiest park in the city, THE HOLLENBECK, only 8 minutes from business center by new electric car service on First st.; see this property before buying elsewhere.
$500, $500, $500, $500, $500; your choice of those fine lots facing on Kohler st., between Sixth and Seventh; easy terms to those who will build at once.
$1300—Large corner, 53x110, close in; cheap.
$4500—For 45-foot lot on Seventh st.
$15,000—One of the finest corners on Seventh.
$20,000—Large frontage on Seventh st.
$12,500—Choice lot on Hill.
FOR SUBDIVISION.
$3000 for 10 acres, Western ave.
$600 an acre on W. Adams.
$1000 an acre, 55 acres, 1-mile limit.
19 WILDE & STRONG, 228 W. Fourth st.

FOR SALE—GRIDER & DOW'S ADAMS-ST. TRACT.
—THE TRACT OF HOMES—
64 choice residence lots unsold are now offered at $300 to $1000 on easy payments; 600 lots have been sold and over 250 homes built in the past 18 months; a school building, that cost over $17,000, and a fine church are located in this tract; five miles of streets graded, curbed and sidewalked, and lined with 2000 lovely shade and palm trees; city water; electric lights; modern street cars with 10-minute service; only 12 minutes' ride from business center; four 80-foot streets and one 100-foot street; lots 50x150 to alley; high and sightly location; rich loam soil, no mud. Don't buy for a home nor for an investment until you see the "Adams-st. Tract." Free carriages from our office; telephone 1299. For maps, prices and views of this tract call on or write to
26 GRIDER & DOW, 139 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
$20,000 FOR $10,000.
That's the kind of a deal we can submit to you this week within 1 mile of business center, convenient to railroad and suitable for warehouse or residence property: nearly 1200 feet of frontage; the actual value of this property is $20,000; can be had for $10,000 if sold at once; you don't often get a chance like this; if you've the ready money don't throw away the opportunity.
We can offer you residence or business lots this week in any section of the city at way down prices; there are indications of an advance in all lines of business, and real estate will be near the front of the procession. The moral of this is buy now, buy close and buy of
19 WM. F. BOSBYSHELL & CO., 107 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
A choice lot close to Harper tract, on car line, 56x147, feet, only $1400; or will sell you 110 feet, including corner, for $3000; this is much less than is asked for property in this vicinity.
Fine lot on Maple avenue, near 15th, $1100.
8-room, hard-finish house, modern, good barn; lot 52x170; fine lawn, fruits and flowers, near Washington and Figueroa, for a few days only $2800, terms.
10 acres, all to alfalfa, ½ mile from city limits, southwest, for less than $3000.
Good exchanges in California for eastern property.
19 SHERWOOD & NELSON, 242 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — THE ALEXANDRE WEILL tract, CENTRAL AVE. The best bargains on this growing thoroghfare are for sale in the Alexandre Weill tract, being the entire frontage on the east side of the avenue, between Eighth and 14th streets lots are for sale at from $300 to $950; terms to suit purchasers; no interest charged on deferred payments; special discount 5 per cent. to cash purchasers. These are the cheapest and best lots on this leading thoroughfare, and merit careful investigation on the part of homeseekers, investors or speculators. We can also offer inside lots from $300 up. For maps, price lists and all particulars apply to RICHARD ALTSCHUL, Sole Agent, 123½ W. Second st.

FOR SALE—DON'T! DON'T! DON'T WHAT? Don't stop until you get to the bottom.
$2700—Corner on 16th st, 105x176.
$1200—Estrella ave., west side.
$1175—In beautiful S. Bonnie Brae; bargain.
$954—Maple ave.; fine lot.
$700—Towne ave., bet. Fourth and Fifth.
$700—Girard st.; think about this.
$800—16th near Maple ave.; 60x108.
$600—Cor. Denver and 16th; want offer bad.
$450—14th near San Pedro; improvements all paid.
$475—40x161, E Adams; big bargains.
$250—28th st., $50 cash!
E. C. CRIBB & CO., or R. C. O'BRYAN, 19 127½ W. Second st.

FOR SALE—300 HIGHLAND PARK LOTS, the largest and cheapest lots in the city; only 5 cents fare; I have closed out all of the $200 lots except 5, and they will go this week; now, if you wish some fine lots at the Park, from $300 up, on 4 years' time; get in at once; there will be but a few to be had for less than $400 in a short time; I have some big bargains in lots and blocks on Pasadena ave; big money for house builders; also some fine houses for sale, with large villa lots, from 2 to 3 acres each W. P. LARKIN, Sole Agent, 225 W. Second st.
P.S.—Remember, the Park is 300 feet above the city; no fogs. 19

FOR SALE—BY CULVER—
WOLFSKILL BARGAINS.
$475—Ceres ave.
$500—Kohler st.
$600—Towne ave.
$900—Sixth st.; corner.
$750—Towne ave.
$1350—Fifth st.
$2750—55 feet, Fifth st.
$700—Central ave.
$1500—Wolfskill ave.
$625—Wolfskill ave.
19 CULVER, 212 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—SNAP BARGAINS—
$2000—Cor. 18th st, by 125 feet on Hill st.
$2000—55x150, Pico st. near cor. Flower.
$525—30-foot lot 22nd st. near Figueroa.
$1000—Lot 8, Platter's sub. 22nd st.
$500—Urmston tract, street graded.
$250—Nice lot near Eastside Park.
$220—McGarry tract, on installments.
$110—20x120, McGarry tract; nice lot.
$175—50x150, Alta st.; good neighborhood.
$1050—Fine lot in Florida tract.
We sell lots and build on installments.
STIMSON BROS, 320 Byrne Bldg. cor. Broadway and Third. 19

FOR SALE—HARPER TRACT (ADJOINING) on 29th st., near Orchard, $590.
Downey ave., corner of Johnson, 55x164, $30 per foot.
First st. near Terminal depot, 50 feet, at $12 foot.
Angeleno Heights, Calumet st., lot 17, block 4, $295.
Seventh st., cement walk and curb, sewer, street newly graded, etc., $1190.
THE WILSHIRE CO., 143 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—LOTS.
$250 per lot for one or more nice lots on Girard st., in Briswalter tract, on 28th st.; terms to suit.
$1400—W. Beacon, a choice lot for the money, on a fine street and cheap; 50x150 to alley; street and alley made, sewer in; all paid; if you see this lot you will want it.
$6500 for 60x165 on Olive, north of Seventh st.; a bargain.
19 D. A. MEEKINS, 315 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—FLORIDA TRACT—
A few of the best lots at original prices; best bargains for homes in the city; 33 lots already sold, and are being improved; sewer, walks, shade trees and all improvements paid; electric cars will pass on three sides of the tract; it is also close in, and within walking distance of City Hall, library, etc. A nice house, just completed there, is also offered for sale. STIMSON BROS., 320 Byrne Bldg., cor. Broadway and Third sts. 19

FOR SALE—
$1600 will buy one of the best lots and small house on west side of Bonnie Brae near Westlake Park; lot 50x150; good house of 3 rooms; this is a most excellent purchase.
19 WELLS & EAKINS, 328 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
CLANTON TRACT.
$550—Choice residence lots in this beautiful tract at $550, with a small cash payment, the balance on long time. The streets are all graded, graveled, with cement walks and curbs. Located on 14th st., San Pedro and Clanton sts.; only a few minutes' walk to the business center. Free carriage.
26 GRIDER & DOW, 139 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—$10 DOWN AND $10 A MONTH, from $175 up; Adams-st. Park tract, 27th and 28th sts., near Central ave. We will sell 10 lots on these easy terms only, and you had better come quick and make your choice; beautiful trees on all lots; streets graveled, cement curbs and sidewalks; building restrictions insure you a good neighborhood, with sure advance in value; only for the next 15 days; money at 6 per cent. to build. See J. G. H. LAMPADIUS, or GEO. F. GRANGER, N.E. cor. Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—LOTS—
$600—Lot 50x150 to 20-foot alley, W. Pico st.
$700—Lot 50x135, W. 27th st.
$350—Lot 50x135 feet, Olive near Vermont.
$350—Lot 46x128, B st.
$750; lot 50x125, Winfield st.
$1000—Lot 50x130, W. Tenth near Pearl.
$1100—Lot 50x150, Westlake ave.
$1450—Lot 60x150, Bonnie Brae near Eighth.
CORTELYOU & GIFFEN, 404 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—
—ORANGEDALE.—
Fine 50-foot lots on 23d st., in ½ block of the electric cars, covered with bearing orange trees; streets graded and graveled, cement walks and curbs, at $475 to $500, on easy terms. See them before you buy.
26 GRIDER & DOW, 139 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
GRAND BARGAINS.
$300—Large 50-foot lot on 29th st., in one block of the electric cars, at $300—$25 cash and the balance at $10 per month; street graded and graveled; cement walks and curbs, and sprinkled. Carriage from our office.
26 GRIDER & DOW, 139 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—CHEAP LOTS—
$300—Mignonette near Beaudry ave.
$425—Fine lot in Sherman tract.
$525—Towne ave. near Sixth.
$650—35x110, Ceres near Sixth.
$1100—2 lots, small house, Gladys near 7th.
$1050—37½x110, Towne just off Third; sewer and sidewalk.
19 G. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First st.

FOR SALE—SPECIAL BARGAIN LOTS—
$900—75x125, Albany st. near Pico.
$700—50x125, 29th near Main.
$1400—60x130, Eighth near Union.
$1100—50x170, Westlake near Sixth.
$875—52x152, Westlake near 12th.
$2100—300x135, 28th near Vermont ave.
BRADSHAW BROS., 147 S. Broadway. 19-22

FOR SALE—
—ADAMS STREET LOTS—
50x150 foot lots on clean side of Adams st. bet. Central ave. and San Pedro; $650 to $800 each.
19 W. J. SCHERER CO., 227 W. Second. st.

FOR SALE—$1450—
111x150 feet to alley, fronting on Central ave., in 50 feet of Adams st. This is the cheapest frontage on Central ave.
W. J. SCHERER CO., 227 W. Second st. Branch office S.W. cor. Adams and Central ave. 19

FOR SALE—LOTS—
$600—Bargain; corner Park View and Ninth st.
$600—Bargain; lot west side Clinton ave., near Vermont.
$650—Snap; lot Carondelet st.; fine view; near Westlake.
19 CHAPMAN, 103 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—$4500; BEST INVESTMENT FOR future income in town; big corner on Seventh near Westlake; 150 feet frontage on Seventh; bound to be business corner in a year; you can't fail to make money on this.
19 STILSON & PARSONS, S.E. cor. Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—5 LOTS, $375 EACH; 50 FEET frontage, in the Hooper Adams-st. tract, at the original price; these lots are only 2 blocks east of Central ave. on Adams; all streets graded, cement curbs and walks, city water. For particulars call on CASE & BLACK, cor. of Adams and Orange ave.

FOR SALE—LOTS IN C. A. SMITH'S THIRD addition, located on Eighth and Mateo sts., a half block from car line; now is your time to buy a beautiful level lot close in and on easy terms; $10 cash, $10 per month; prices $150, $175 and $200. Call for map and make selection. C. A. SMITH, 213 W. First st.

FOR SALE— 7 LOTS IN THE HOOPER'S Adams-st. tract on 27th st., at the original price; all grading done, cement curbs and walks, city water; beautifully located. Call and see these lots before you purchase elsewhere; terms easy. CASE & BLACK, cor. Adams and Orange ave.

FOR SALE—WE HAVE A FINE LOT ON 29th st., right alongside of those elegant houses in Harper tract, which we are instructed to sell at once at $875.
19 STILSON & PARSONS, S.E. cor. Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—
$1000—Lot on 10th st. near Pearl, 46x148; half cash. ERNST & CO., 128 S. Broadway.
$750—Northeast corner 13th and San Pedro st., easy terms.
19 ERNST & CO., 128 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—NICE LOT ON 30TH ST., BET. Main and Grand ave., only $800.
Also that fine lot on the corner of Ninth and W. Beacon, worth $6500, but will sell for $4500, if sold in few days.
25 E. A. MILLER, 237 W. First st.

FOR SALE— CHEAP, TO CLOSE AN ESTATE, 2 lots on 27th st. near Grand ave., a double house on Center st. and a lot on Pico Heights; only $2600 for all; or will sell separately. Apply to MORTIMER & HARRIS, attorneys for heirs, 78 Temple Block.

FOR SALE—IF YOU BUY ANY OF THE lots advertised in this column, a policy of title insurance from the TITLE INSURANCE and TRUST CO., cor. of Franklin and New High sts., is the best evidence of title you can obtain.

FOR SALE—30x128 FEET ON N. HILL ST.; sewer, cement sidewalks; fine location; little over 2 blocks from Courthouse; best view in city; will sell for $300 under value; see this snap before May 1. Address L, box 70, TIMES OFFICE. 21

FOR SALE — SIXTH-ST. CORNER, 50x55, vacant, or 50x95 with 10-room house; fine location for business and flats; want $3000 cash, balance in residence and vacant lots, or time; your price. Address D, box 36, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE— FINE LOT ON 22ND ST. close to Hoover, worth $600, but WE WANT AN OFFER. Cash will talk on this.
19 STILSON & PARSONS, S.E. cor. Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—NICE LEVEL LOT, SEWERED, graded, ready for building; only 8 blocks from Times Office, near Pearl and Alpine st., price only $350. Apply to
19 BEN WHITE, 221 W. First st.

FOR SALE—FOUR FINE LOTS AT THE corner of Tenth and Maple ave. (including old power house), together or separately; a bargain.
19 G. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First st.

FOR SALE—LOOK AT ALL THE TRACTS along Central ave., then come to me for prices of choicest lots to build on, at prices no other man can make to you. H. H. BIXBY, 328 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—SNAP; GOOD LOT, 45x120 NEAR Tenth and Georgia Bell, only $575; bargain in lot in Wolfskill tract, bet. Fourth and Fifth sts., only $525. LOCKHART & LOCKHART, 132 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—135 FEET ON BROADWAY, BEtween First and Second; appraised at $75,000; worth a good deal more; produces $365 per month; make an offer. HOUSER, care White & Monroe, city. 19

FOR SALE—OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPerty, 3 of the finest and best located lots in the town of Williams, Ariz. FIGUEROA PHARMACY, Cor. Figueroa and Pico, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—3 FINE LOTS ON E. ADAMS, 40x161; price $425; improvements all paid. E. C. CRIBB & CO., or R. C. O'BRYAN,
19 127½ W. Second st.

FOR SALE—CLOSE-IN BUSINESS CORNER on Sixth st.; elegant lot; submit an offer.
19 STILSON & PARSONS, S.E. cor. Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—EAST FRONT LOT ON ESTrella ave. for $1200; this is the cheapest east front lot on the street.
19 L. H. MITCHEL, 136 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—$675 CASH TAKES LOT IN Urmston tract, 1236 Clinton ave., with 1-room house, etc. Address OWNER, P.O. box 565. It's a snap. 16-19

FOR SALE—THE CHEAPEST LOT IN CITY; 37½x154; adjoining cottage, No. 1034 W. 24th st., southwest; price $600. OWNER, room 28, 206½ S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—VERY CHEAP, ONE LOT IN the South Bonnie Brae, and one in the Wolfskill Orchard tract. Address K, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—5-ACRE LOTS, CLOSE IN. $750; your own terms. I. H. PRESTON, 217 New High st.

FOR SALE—LOTS ON CENTRAL AVE, $100 to $150. GUION, 404 Broadway. 25

FOR SALE— City Lots and Land.

FOR SALE—BUSINESS CARDS AT $1 PER thousand; other printing in proportion. PACIFIC PRINTING PLANT, 217 New High st. Tel. 1400. 19

FOR SALE — 50 FEET FRONTAGE WEST side South Broadway, without improvements, $200 per foot. M. M. MORRISON, 330 Broadway. 19

FOR SALE — VERY CHEAP, 2 LOTS ON Ceres ave., Wolfskill tract. Call or address OWNER, Monday, 125 Wilmington st., room 28. 19

FOR SALE—BY OWNER; VERY CHEAP; a fine lot, 50x170, near Westlake Park; for one week only. Apply 302 CURRIER BLDG. 19

FOR SALE—2 LOTS ON E. NINTH ST., ON the installment plan. W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO., 319½ S. Broadway. 19-20-22

FOR SALE—NICE LOT ON 12TH ST. NEAR San Pedro, for $525.
19 L. H. MITCHEL, 136 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—EAST FRONT LOT ON BONNIE Brae st. near Seventh, for $1500.
19 L. H. MITCHEL, 136 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—LOT ON 30TH NEAR FIGueroa st.; will exchange for part cash. Address T. F. BARNES, 123 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — 10 ACRES FIRST-CLASS ALfalfa or corn land in artesian belt, close to University. BOX 128, University. 19

FOR SALE — STYLISH HORSE, FINE driver, double or single; magnificent under saddle. 40 ELLENDALE PLACE. 19

FOR SALE—$400 EACH, 2 LOTS 40x150; Washington st., near Central ave. ALFORD & CO., 112 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE; 2½ ACRES, beautifully located on Stevenson ave. W. H. GRIFFIN, 136 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—50 FEET OF VACANT LOT IN Chicago; fine A1 property; want trade for Los Angeles city property. 19

FOR SALE — SEVENTH AND CENTRAL ave; open all day. CULVER. 19

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE— 10 ACRES, TWO MILES FROM Downey, all to alfalfa; no house; $1600.
Lot 65x150 feet, 5-room house, near the postoffice; the cheapest house and lot in Downey for $350 cash.
26 acres, 2 miles from Downey; all to a fine crop of barley; no house; fine land; $100 per acre.
1 acre, ⅛ mile from Downey postoffice; 100 young fruit trees of all varieties; 3-room cottage, chicken-house; good well at the door; $500.
10 acres; 5 in alfalfa and 5 in barley; good 5-room house, good well at the door; on public road, ½ mile from our postoffice; $2000.
25 acres, 1 mile from Downey; 3½ acres to fruits, 21½ acres for alfalfa; good 6-room house, barn, crib and stable, for $2500.
40 acres; 5 to oranges, fruits and beets; 35 to alfalfa, which paid $65 per acre in 1894; 3-room house, barn, crib and stable; good well; $8000—$2000 cash, balance to suit purchaser.
100 acres, 1½ miles from Downey; 40 to barley; balance corn, barley, alfalfa or pasture land; all fenced and cross-fenced; two small houses; $90 per acre—½ cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years.
I am agent for the Crawford property, adjoining Downey; 17 acres, $1250; 13 acres, with small house, east end, $1250; 100 acres, 1 mile north of Downey, $8500; town lots from $30 to $50.
21½ acres, 1 mile from Downey; 20 to alfalfa; 1½ to a young orchard; 5-room house, smokehouse, windmill and tank, barn, crib and stable; 1 mower, 1 rake, 1 cultivator, 2 plows and 1 harrow; 20 shares water stock; $4000.
8½ acres 1 mile from Downey; 1½ acres to apples, ½ acre to prunes, ½ acre to bluegums, ½ acre to apricots, 1½ acres to alfalfa, 50 bearing orange trees, 4½ acres to walnuts; 4-room house, barn, crib and stable; $2500.
20 acres, 2 miles from Downey; 17 acres as fine alfalfa as you ever laid your eyes on; 2½ acres to barley; ½ acre to variety fruits; good 5-room house, barn, crib, stable and chicken-house; $3600.
10 acres sandy loam, 2 miles from Downey; 1 acre to all kinds of fruits in bearing; 3 to alfalfa, and 6 to barley; 4-room house, barn and stable; 1 span of young, gentle work mares; 1 set of harness, 1 wagon, 1 Jersey cow and calf, 1 plow, 1 harrow, 1 cultivator, 75 or 100 chickens, all the furniture, 4 chicken-coops and all the crops; no exchange; owner must go East; $1250.
Beautiful home, 7 acres, 300 yards from our depot; large evergreen shade trees in front; 50 9-year-old Washington navel oranges, 150 2-year-old navels, and every kind of deciduous fruit raised in California; 2-story, 8-room residence, with large hall; barn, crib, stable, windmill and tank, woodhouse and chicken-houses; the oranges this year alone will uay 20 per cent. on the price, $3000.
Now and then newcomers ask me: "Why do so many want to sell out?" Easy answered. Those with large ranches want to sell and buy a smaller one; those with small ranches want something larger. When farmers sell out not one in 20 ever leaves this valley.
Nature supplies this valley with water whether it rains or not, from the San Gabriel Mountains, conveyed by the Old and New San Gabriel Rivers.
Downey has 7 churches. Within a radius of 3 miles we have 7 public schools, and we are going to have a high school soon.
In this valley alfalfa is king. We cut it 7 to 9 times a year, 1 to 2 tons per acre each cutting. It sells from $6 to $12 a ton, loose in the field. Within a radius of 6 miles we have 17 water companies, all owned by the farmers.
100 miner's inches of water goes with any ranch I sell, and only costs 10c per acre each time your irrigate; a miner's inch of water is equal to 12 gallons per minute. The farmers of this section live easier and work less than any place in the State.
It is the finest section in the State for the dairy business. This valley has 10,000 milch cows and more coming. In a radius of 8 miles we have 11 creameries and 2 cheese factories.
Take it one year with another there is more clear money easily made, with no risk, in raising alfalfa, cows, hogs and corn, than anything in California; the alfalfa farmers always have plenty of money, and still we raise everything you can think of in this valley.
For walnuts, oranges, apples, peaches, prunes, plums, lemons, limes, apricots, cherries, in fact all kinds of deciduous fruits, barley, corn, potatoes, pumpkins, beets, citrons, piemelons, alfalfa, cows, hogs, hominy and vegetables, this Los Nietos Valley, 12 miles southeast of Los Angeles, the city of 100,000 inhabitants, which is destined to be the largest west of the Rocky Mountains, and furnishes us with a market for everything, is ahead of all. Our climate cannot be excelled. A more social set of people never lived on earth. Exchanges are few and far apart. If you want bargains, come and see me.
19 B. M. BLYTHE, Downey, Cal.

FOR SALE—
C. M. WELLS. H. B. EAKINS.
$25,000—40 acres in foothills near Pasadena; all set to finest variety of fruit; it has no house, but a private water-supply that is worth more than the land; the price may seem high, but the income from the ranch justifies even a larger figure; a most beautiful situation and unexcelled soil.
$7000—Fine 10-acre ranch in Pasadena, with new 9-room house, all in good fruit and nuts; excellent location; overlooks whole San Gabriel Valley; a fine home and a good living.
$5250—15 acres, Hollywood; ½-hour's drive to center of city; a beautiful corner on 2 main thoroughfares; will sell all or part at $350 per acre.
$4500—90 acres in good location, foothill land; 85 inches of water; 18 acres alfalfa; fenced and cross-fenced; water is deeded with land; did you ever hear of so much water being sold for so little money?
$2100—10 acres at Gardena, right in the town; berries, alfalfa, fruit and house, well and chicken corrals.
$1800—10 acres, just south of the city; 3 acres alfalfa, 2 good wells, windmills and tanks, chicken-houses, incubators, brooders, 500 feet 3-in. hose; all goes.
$1100—20 acres, very close to city; fine land for deciduous fruits; will sell for $5 an acre cash and balance in 5 or 10 years or longer.
$650 for 10 acres planted to olives, in good location, near good town; think of it, only $65 per acre for land and olives.
$140—10 acres in Oakmount Colony tract in Tehama county; only $14 per acre.
We have country property and ranches in such locations and at such prices that any buyer can be suited. If any of the above don't strike your fancy, we have others that will.
19 WELLS & EAKINS, 328 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—WE SELL THE EARTH— BASSETT & SMITH, Pomona.
Say, your attention just for a moment! Have you noticed how olives are coming to the front? How many people are considering favorably the olive industry, and now planting out olives? Now, if you are wise you will buy an orchard already with several years' growth, if you can get one, 4 or 5 years old for $300 or $350 per acre; yet we can sell you just as fine an orchard as ever grew for $2800 and on easy terms; after that's gone, we have nothing as good for less than $3200 to $3500; come out and look it over. BASSETT & SMITH. 19

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL BLOCK OF NEARly 4 acres, on dummy line, near Hollywood; all set to lemons; house and barn, well; price $3000, on any reasonable terms.
19 STILSON & PARSONS, S.E. cor. Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

$3100—FOR SALE—20 ACRES VERY HIGHly improved, with fruit and berries, a little south of the city; this is a beautiful home and one that will pay a large profit; price $3100; sickness the only reason for selling. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$4000—FOR SALE— ON EASY TERMS, 20 acres of choice alfalfa, early vegetable or first-class lemon land, with excellent water right, within 20 minutes' ride of Los Angeles; owner sacrificing on account of sickness. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$1500—FOR SALE—15 ACRES AT ONTARIO all in prunes, apricots and peaches; very fine; price only $1500. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$3000—FOR SALE — 20 ACRES OF SOFTshell walnuts, just coming into bearing, located at Fullerton; price only $150 per acre; this is a snap. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$800—FOR SALE—1 ACRE ON NICE AVEnue in south part of the city, all in bearing and convenient to electric line; price only $800. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$75—FOR SALE—40 ACRES SET SOLID TO olives near Ontario; price only $75 per acre. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$2100—FOR SALE—7½ ACRES AT WHITtier, all in lemons, apricots and peaches; price $2100. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$5000—FOR SALE—ONE OF THE FINEST 10-acre navel orange groves in the State, located at Covina, in full bearing; price $5000 cash, or will exchange for city property. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$1200—FOR SALE—40 ACRES GOOD LAND near Burbank; 13 acres of it in peaches and apricots, coming into bearing; price for the 40 acres, only $1200; this is a snap. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second. 19

FOR SALE—WE SELL THE EARTH— BASSETT & SMITH, Pomona.
We wish you now to examine the bargain we're going to explain; we will gently turn on the X rays to make it exceedingly plain; we want to satisfy the exceptor, for we know they always exist, not as a rule, but the exception, exceedingly few, we insist. That is when they've thoroughly examined a proposition of exceptional worth, not existing in one's mind, a theory but an extremely fine piece of earth; the exterior covered with fruit trees, fruits; exquisitely orange red. Full explanations will be made by "The Old Man and Fred." That is to say, we have a 10½-acre orange orchard now in bearing, 1½ miles northeast of Pomona grocery, north and south on two good avenues; trees 5 and 6 years old, and it is a good one; good location; irrigating water right; 5-room hard finished cottage, large barn, corrals, etc.; some lemons and a variety most all kinds of fruits for family use; this property is worth $7500, but you can get it for a short time for $6750; terms if desired. BASSETT & SMITH. 19

FOR SALE— RANCHES
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., Second and Broadway.
C. F. W. Palmer, Manager Real Estate Department.
400 acres fine alfalfa land, 17 miles east from city; in tracts of 50 or 100 acres, at $80 per acre worth $125; see this land before you buy.
$2800—7 acres at Covina; good barn, in oranges and deciduous fruits, in bearing, plenty of water; land lays fine and is very choice, in the very best orange and lemon district; adjoining land held at $600 per acre; This is a special bargain, as owner is anxious to sell.
$6500—8½ acres between Pasadena and Altadena; fine 8-room dwelling, new barn; good chicken house; water belongs to land, piped to buildings and grounds; all in bearing oranges and prunes, and some assorted varieties of fruit; a lovely home, fine view and healthy location.
$1600—30 acres at Monte Vista, 18 miles from Los Angeles; nearly all in cultivation this year; a good place on which to make a living; small house, water piped to house and grounds.
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., Broadway and second sts., C. F. W. Palmer, Manager Real Estate Department. 19

FOR SALE—ALFALFA! ALFALFA! IS KING $9500—About 60 acres, the best alfalfa ranch in Southern California for the money and location, 12 miles southeast of city; all fenced, hog-tight all around; cross-fenced, with alleys, lanes and corrals; about 30 acres now seeded to alfalfa, 3 to 5 acres in beets, 4 acres in orchard and garden, balance in barley and pasture; 80 shares water, 6-room house, hard-finished; 2 barns, 30x50 each; sheds and outhouses, good well, windmill and tank; this alone is worth all we ask for the ranch, but we want to sell (5 years ago we were offered $14,000 for it), and to make it a better bargain we will throw in the farm tools and implements, new mower, rake, plows, harrows, cultivators, wagons, harnesses, etc.; do you want more? We will give you 20 head of thoroughbred Jersey cows and heifers; also 8 or 10 head of horses, choice stock; do you want more? Are you not satisfied? Well, rather than lose the sale, you may have 40 head thoroughbred Berkshire hogs, and poultry; just think of it; all this for about $150 per acre; 3 creameries within one mile and two railroads, good schools, churches and society; if you want to know more about it, see G. A. CHAPEL, 132 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—
$25 an acre with water, Minneola Valley land on Santa Fe Railroad; alfalfa and deciduous fruit land; if you are looking for farming land be sure to see Minneola Valley land.
$7200 buys 26½ acres at Rivera; ½ in 5-year-old walnuts; ½ in alfalfa; new 8-room modern house; bargain.
ALFALFA LAND AT EL MONTE.
$15 an acre for 1100 acres of choice land close to San Diego; $14,000; a snap.
$3000—10 acres in bearing navel oranges.
$40 an acre with water for the choicest lemon land in San Diego county.
$450 an acre for 20 acres in oranges and lemons at Redlands.
130 acres near El Monte, with water, at $50 an acre; a big bargain.
19 WILDE & STRONG, 228 W. Fourth st.

FOR SALE— 10 ACRES, 2 MILES FROM Downey, all to alfalfa; no house; $1600.
10 acres sandy loam, 2 miles from Downey; 1 acre to all kinds of fruits in bearing; 3 to alfalfa, and 6 to barley; 4-room house, barn and stable; 1 span of young, gentle work mares; 1 set of harness, 1 wagon, 1 Jersey cow and calf, 1 plow, 1 harrow, 1 cultivator, 75 or 100 chickens, all the furniture, 4 chicken cooks, and all the crops; no exchange; owner must go East; $1250.
For walnuts, oranges, apples, peaches, prunes, plums, lemons, limes, apricots, cherries, in fact all kinds of deciduous fruits, barley, corn, potatoes, pumpkins, beets, citrons, piemelons, alfalfa, cows, hogs, hominy and vegetables, this Los Nietos Valley, 12 miles southeast of Los Angeles, is ahead of all; our climate cannot be excelled; if you want bargains come and see me. B. M. BLYTHE, Downey Cal.,

FOR SALE—
10,000 ACRES.
Finest ranch in California, bordering on the Pacific Ocean, 20 minutes by rail from Los Angeles; perfect climate, fertile soil, two water systems, suitable for lemons, oranges, alfalfa, olives, peaches, apricots, prunes, corn, beans, etc.; no hot wind; no frosts; will sell the whole or in small tracts; easy terms. D. FREEMAN, owner, 595 S. Spring st., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—
AT GLENDALE.
$4500—A beautiful country home; 8 acres in full bearing choice fruit; 2½ acres bearing trees, interset with the best navel oranges; extra good water right; pure mountain spring water; 7-room well-built house with bath; this is located in a beautiful valley close to railroads (with an electric road contemplated in the near future;) only 2½ miles from the city limits; good schools and churches; road to city sprinkled, making a lovely drive. Call on S. K. LINDLEY or F. B. BLISH, 106 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—
The best stock and grain ranch in California, 3000 acres, near the coast, a short drive from Los Angeles; heavily wooded; abundance of water, large reservoir on the property; good ranch houses, barns, blacksmith and carpenter shop; all necessary farming implements and work animals; well stocked with cattle and hogs. All of which go with the place.
I am offering this not as a speculation, but as a business proposition, and will demonstrate a good interest can be made on the investment. Address OWNER, 74 Bryson Block.

FOR SALE—
We have a number of attractive acre tracts suitable for subdivision, close in and desirable in every way; call and look them over; a buy now may and probably will double your money in the next few years.
Do you want a ranch that pays? That kind are sometimes scarce, but we have a few we would like to talk to you about; drop in on us and look them over; some are near enough to Los Angeles to subdivide.
19 WM. F. BOSBYSHELL & CO., 107 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—"ALAMITOS BY THE SEA;" lemon, pomolo, olive and deciduous fruit land; the finest location in Southern California for a suburban home; tracts 5 or more acres, $150 per acre; easy terms. E. B. CUSHMAN, agent Alamitos Land Co., 306 W. First st.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE—$3500—
—NICE SUBURBAN HOME—
Consisting of 8 acres near car line, just south of city, set to fruit, berries, oranges, lemons, walnuts, etc., in full bearing; good 9-room house, barn and corrals; adjoining property held at much higher prices; but as this belongs to a non-resident, we will offer it for a short time at the above price. Call on
19 W. J. SCHERER CO., 227 W. Second. st.

FOR SALE—A HOME OF 20 OR 40 ACRES of land in Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo counties, bought now before the rise, will pay large returns on investment. Fruit land, bean land, or land for diversified farming now sells at from $5 to $40 per acre; climate delightful; soil fertile; water abundant. Fur full particulars call on or address (the owners of 50,000 acres) PACIFIC LAND CO., San Luis Obispo county, Cal., cr 127 W. First st., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE—
Chino Valley fruit, alfalfa and sugar-beet land, $50 to $90 per acre, with water; near 2 railroads and the largest beet-sugar factory in the United States; easy terms to actual settlers; special inducements to large colonies.
C. W. MAXSON, 133½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE— LARGE TRACT OF DAMP land southeast of Soldiers' Home, in subdivision to suit purchaser.
1700 acres of fine land in the Ojai Valley, Ventura county; the new railway line will pass through the property; call and get maps and prices of subdivisions.
Lands in the San Gabriel Valley suitable for citrus fruits well watered and improved. See R. B. STEVENS & CO., 125½ W. Third st. 19-22

FOR SALE—WE SELL THE EARTH— BASSETT & SMITH, Pomona.
There are times, and this is one of them, that property must be sold; no inclination for explanation in this ad, but we will explain fully if you will come out; we will simply state that we have 5 acres of oranges, 6 years old; price on our book is $3000, but must be sold, and $2000 will take it; whfat think you? BASSETT & SMITH. 20

FOR SALE—OLD RESIDENT OFFERS BARgains in choice resident lots, fruit orchards and large acreage, in Los Angeles, Pasadena and vicinity.

FOR SALE—TWO OF THE FINEST LOTS in Los Angeles, between Third and Fourth on Olive; two frontages. Address owner, P. O. BOX 28, South Pasadena. 25

FOR SALE—
AT A SACRIFICE.
21-acre, 4-year-old prune orchard in first-class condition, and near this city; cheapest orchard in Los Angeles county; owner wants money immediately.
Only $125 per acre.
M'KOON & YOAKUM, SoleAgents, 19 234 W. First st.

FOR SALE—40 ACRES 1 MILE FROM DOWney; 5 to 12-year-old softshell walnuts; 35 acres as fine alfalfa as there is in Los Angeles county, sowed in March last year, and cut 7 times last season; most ready to cut now for the second time this season and has water enough for 80 acres; 4-room house, barn, crib and stable; $200 per acre. B. M. BLYTHE, Downey, Cal.

FOR SALE—ORANGE AND LEMON LAND in a frostless belt, bearing orchards; no smut, scale, hardpan or fertilizing; prices much less than inferior lands are held at; investigate and you will buy. SESPE LAND & WATER CO., room 28, German Bank Building.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN IN 10-ACRE, FULL bearing fruit ranch at East Ontario, with 6-room house, hard-finished, and barn, with water stock; worth $4500; death has compelled the sale; will sell for 30 days for $2500. EDWARD FRASER, 216 Broadway.

FOR SALE—$2800; 9½ ACRES ON THE electric line to Santa Monica; about 3½ miles west of Colgrove, on Colgrove ave.; small house, stable and well; this is the best bargain in that vicinity. POINDEXTER & WADSWORTH, 305 W. Second. 20

FOR SALE—A LOVELY FOOTHILL RANCH north of Pomona; a sanitarium; spring water piped to house; valuable water-rights go with it; will take first-class improved city property in exchange. Inquire M'GARRY & INNES, 227 W. Second. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—480 ACRES GOOD LAND in Western Washington; 200 acres improved and balance timber; 6,000,000 feet timber on water; cut 200 tons timothy hay. Call 1219 BIRCH ST., or address box 6, Station M, Los Angeles. 19

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE; AN IMproved ranch, clear, good buildings, stock, implements, worth $3500; exchange for Los Angeles, Pasadena or Cleveland, O. Address OWNER, box 176, Alhambra, Cal. 19

FOR SALE — 100 ACRES GOOD ALFALFA land with water at Workman Station, near Downey, all fenced; good house and barns; price $80 per acre; terms easy. Apply to PETER LAMB, room 36, Baker Block.

FOR SALE—JURUPA RANCHO; CORN, ALfalfa and sugar-beet land, $40 per acre; deciduous and citrus fruit land, $40 per acre and up; 1000 acres plowed for renting. I. D. & C. W. ROGERS, 406 Stimson Block.

FOR SALE—IF YOU BUY ANY OF THIS property a policy of title insurance from the TITLE INSURANCE and TRUST CO., cor. of Franklin and New High sts., is the best evidence of title you can obtain.

FOR SALE—$4000; 26 ACRES OF ALFALFA ranch; house, barn, 2 artesian wells, near city; must be sold at once; if you want an alfalfa ranch be sure to see this. T. W. T. RICHARDS, 102 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE— 2 SMALL TRACTS OF LAND near the city; one of 2½ and one of 3 acres, suitable for nice homes; price $500 and $600; very cheap. POINDEXTER & WADSWORTH, 305 W. Second. 21

FOR SALE—$6500 BUYS TEN ACRES OF the best land in Los Angeles, located on a prominent avenue, set to alfalfa and walnut trees, in full bearing. Address P. O. BOX 27, South Los Angeles. 19

FOR SALE—SCHOOL LANDS, $1.25 ACRE, easy terms; government lands, $25 locations, all counties; information sent; established 1885. WISEMAN'S LAND BUREAU, 221 W. First. Notary Public. 19

FOR SALE—4 ACRES IN BERRIES; $2400; best in California; 50,000 boxes blackberries, raspberries on vines. W. BARLOW, Verdugo, East Glendale, or SIDDELL, 404 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE; 10 ACRES, lemon trees, full bearing, at Whittier, Cal.; price $2500; would exchange for income property in city. CREASINGER, 247 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—20 ACRES AT SANTA ANA; 7-room house, barn, etc.; 2 artesian wells; property well improved; no incumbrance; price $5000. CREASINGER, 247 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—$2000; MANUFACTURING BUSIness; 5 years' lease secured; official financial position guaranteed to lady or gentleman. Address L, box 92, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—5 ACRES AT TROPICO, GOOD 5-room house, barn, well, fruit trees, etc.; a nice home place; price $1700.
19 L. H. MITCHEL, 136 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—40 ACRES OF CHOICE ALfalfa land near Florence, for $2100; worth double.
19 L. H. MITCHEL, 136 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—5 ACRES IN PEACHES AT Lankershim; good soil, for $275; 10 acres adjoining the above for $550.
19 L. H. MITCHEL, 136 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—I HAVE TWO NICE SMALL acre pieces, close to city for sale or exchange; if you want something of this kind see me. CHAPMAN, 103 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—SPECIAL BARGAIN; 7½ ACRES alfalfa land on Figueroa, 2½ miles south of city, $700; it has to be sold at once. PRAGER & TREORTS, 201 N. Main. 19

FOR SALE — 8-ROOM HOUSE, ALL CONveniences; gas fixtures, sewer, shades, kitchen furniture, range, chicken yard, barn. OWNER, 206 W. 31st st. 19

FOR SALE—DO YOU WANT A LOVELY 5-acre home or fine orchard, close in, very cheap? I can suit you for less than you think. BOX 247, city. 26

FOR SALE—ON EAST WHITTIER, 7½ acres to lemons; this is positively a bargain; parties must sell. Address H. H. BLACKBURN, Long Beach. 19

FOR SALE—NORTH OF EAGLE ROCK VALley, foothill land improved or unimproved, in 5, 10 or 50-acre lots. Dr. J. T. SCHOLL, 1401 S. Main st. 19

FOR SALE—$1000.
A piece of moist alfalfa land, 2 miles south of city limits. J. C. OLIVER & CO., 256 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—BUSINESS CARDS AT $1 PER thousand; other printing in proportion. PACIFIC PRINTING PLANT, 217 New High st. Tel. 1400. 19

FOR SALE — SNAP, 5 TO 20 ACRES; water, fine house, fruit, wood, etc., near Long Beach. Address U, box 52, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—¼ SECTION RICH ALFALFA land, with one flowing artesian well; $6 per acre. Address M, box 7, TIMES OFFICE. 19

LIST YOUR HOUSES WITH ME AND I will give them my personal attention. R. A. NEWLYN, 231 Byrne building. 19

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE — 8-ACRE RANCH, IMPROVED, in city limits, immense bargain, $2500. See BEN WHITE, 221 W. First st.

FOR SALE — A GOOD RANCH, PART IN garden, part pasture and alfalfa. Address L, box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 20

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE; 10, 20 AND 40-acre lots in Lankershim Ranch. Apply to OWNER, 221 S. Olive st. 19

FOR SALE—IF YOU HAVE LAND IN THE Cahuenga Valley for sale, see me. L. H. MITCHEL, 136 Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—$2400; 40 ACRES IN MISSION olives, 3 years old. A. W. MORGAN, 152 Wilson Block.

FOR SALE—BEE RANCH, 300 HIVES BEES. No. 16 COTTAGE in the rear of 327 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — CHEAP LANDS, RIVERSIDE county. HEMET LAND CO., 244 S. Broadway

FOR SALE—700 ACRES LAND, 10 MILES south of L. A. J. M. CARTER, Pasadena.

FOR SALE—WE SELL THE EARTH. BASSETT & SMITH, Pomona, Cal.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—HOUSES—
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., Second and Broadway.
C. F. W. Palmer, Manager Real Estate Department.
$1800—A nice 5-room cottage, stable, lawn and fruit trees, on W 17th st.; all conveniences.
$1700—7-room modern cottage, hard-finish, bath, etc.; on Gladys ave., close in.
$850—4-room, hard-finish cottage, bath and closets; good well and pump; on Fair Oaks ave., near cars.
$1500—7-room cottage, all conveniences, on B st., bet. Pico and 14th.
$2800—Fine 6-room new, modern cottage, on Vermont ave, near Jefferson st.; on Traction car line; all conveniences.
$3500—Good 8-room cottage, Downey ave., all modern improvements; lot 55x148; also house and 2 lots adjoining; very cheap; if you want first-class East Los Angeles property see us about this.
$1700—A new, modern 5-room, hard-finish cottage, on 22d st., near Hoover; University cars.
$2800—6-room, splendid home on W. 24th st., gas, bath and all conveniences; this will please you; only $800 cash.
$1100—Good 4-room cottage on Millard st., with bath, pantry, closets, etc; for sale on easy terms.
$1700—A good 5-room cottage, with bath, closets, etc., barn, nice lawn and corrals on 14th st. near cars.
$1900—5-room cottage, summer kitchen, bath, closets, hard-finish and papered, barn, etc., on Hawkins st.
$1550—5-room cottage on Kohler st., bet. Seventh and Eighth, nicely built and comfortable.
$3000—6-room cottage on Ninth st., west of Blaine; a well-built and well-located home.
$1300—4-room cottage, pantry, bathroom, screen porch, fenced, lawn, flowers, trees, $100 down, balance $20 per month; on C st., Pico Heights.
We can sell you houses and lots on easy terms, and will show property at our own expense.
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., Broadway and second sts., C. F. W. Palmer, Manager Real Estate Department. 19

$3750—FOR SALE—A VERY FINE NEW 2-story, 8-room house in the South Bonnie Brae tract; price for a few days, only $3750. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$2700—FOR SALE— A BEAUTIFUL NEW and modern 6-room residence, with lot 50x150, near the corner of Pearl and 11th; price $2700—$1000 cash, balance $20 per month if desired. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$1950—FOR SALE—NICE RESIDENCE OF 5 rooms, new and modern, with lot 40x150, located on Adams; price $1950, on very easy terms. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$2800—FOR SALE—NEW AND MODERN 7-room, 2-story residence in southwest part of the city, 1 block from Adams and same from 2 electric lines; price $2800. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$2800—FOR SALE — A NEW 9-ROOM, 2-story residence on 18th st., a little west of Figueroa st., with lot 52½x176; price only $2800; this is a bargain. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$2500—FOR SALE—A VERY FINE NEW 6-room residence, all modern, in south part of city, near electric line; lot 50x150; price $2500; will take very small amount cash and balance $25 per month, with interest 5 per cent. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$2650—FOR SALE—A NEW 9-ROOM RESIdence on Sixth st., renting for $30 per month; price for a few days, only $2650; this is a good purchase for permanent investment. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$1000—FOR SALE— HOUSE OF 6 ROOMS, with lot 30x120, near Tenth st., a little west of Pearl; price only $1000. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$5000—FOR SALE—A GOOD 9-ROOM RESIdence with lot 75x150; the very finest corner in the Bonnie Brae tract; price for a few days, $5000. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$2100—FOR SALE— A NICE NEW 6-ROOM house with lot 50x125, barn, etc.; price $2100; $600 cash, balance $17 per month. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second. 19

FOR SALE—
In a splendid neighborhood near Adams st., southwest, lovely new, 9-room house, worth $4500; urgent need of money compels the owner to sacrifice; can be bought this week for $3750; reasonable cash payment; you can't begin to duplicate it for this money and if you want a comfortable home you will find this an opportunity seldom found, even in Los Angeles.
An elegant cottage home, southwest; near two electric lines; 6 rooms, electric lights, lawn, cement walks, built first-class and with no intention of selling; price $2200; only $150 to $300 cash, balance $25 per month.
4-room, partially-finished house, in southwest; 43½-foot, east front on electric line; price only $700; cash payment $150; balance easy.
Fine cottage home on Vermont st., near Pico; price $1700; on easy terms.
Elegant new, 12-room mansion in Westlake district; 75-foot east front; you can have it at cost price and save $2500.
There never was a better time to buy homes in Los Angeles than now; you will never see prices so low again; while the earth endures the climate of Los Angeles will attract homeseekers from all over the world; that means increased population and increased population makes and maintains values of real estate.
Your time is now
There are no fancy prices on our list, but straight values; that's why we invite you to look it over, for we know if you want a home you'll buy of us; values run from $1000 to $20,000.
19 WM. F. BOSBYSHELL & CO., 107 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE— FOUR SNAPS
C. M. WELLS. H. B. EAKINS.
$2400—On W. 12th st. is a 6-room cottage, with space upstairs for 3 more rooms, that can be bought for $2400; it has bath, hot and cold water; electric bells, mantel, plate-glass, etc., and the price is much les than it can be put up for today; it is roomy, convenient, comfortable and desirable.
$1400—A 2-story house that rents for $20, and can be bought for $1400; which is 17 per cent. on the price asked; it is on a corner, on electric line west, and within easy walking distance; no nickels out unless you wish; see this quick, or miss it.
$1000—On First st., west, recollect west, of the river and east of First, is a cottage house that rents for $12, and can be bought for $1000; $100 cash, balance $20 per month.
$700—6-room cottage on fenced lot, 55x175, close in, thickly settled neighborhood, near electric line, house in good condition; think this over and act.
If these should not suit, inquiry will lead us to show you one that will suit.
19 WELLS & EAKINS, 328 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
$1200—A fine new cottage, east front on a good lot, near the Santa Fe depot, ½ block First st. electric car line; 5 large rooms, bath, hot and cold water; worth $1500; I want you to see this, for it must be sold at once; perfect title guaranteed.
$4000—A fine modern place of 9 rooms, electric bells, gas fixtures, gas range, fine reception hall, parlors, decorated; good cellar, large lot to alley; east front, near Flower and 16th st.; cheap at $5000; now rented for $40 net; will make terms.
I have a good list of houses at reasonable figures in the southwest and Westlake vicinity.
19 D. A. MEEKINS, 315 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE BEST PAIR OF carriage horses ever offered in this city; own brother and sister; very stylish and handsome; perfect match; great roadsters; 8 and 9 years old; weight about 2200 lbs.; sound, kind and gentle; very intelligent; not a mean trait or habit; a rare opportunity for any one wanting a perfect team and willing to pay for it; set of harness and double carriage goes with them; can be seen at WM. CANTLAY STABLES, 630 S. Olive st. 20

FOR SALE — NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGES, Seventh and Central ave. CULVER. 19

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—
—THIS WILL PLEASE YOU—
If you are looking for a first-class home on one of the best streets in the city, let us show you what we have in an 8-room 1½-story house; this house in first-class in every particular, modern in every respect. The finish on the inside is seldom excelled; plenty of closets, porcelain bath, hot and cold water, 2 mantels, large parlor and reception hall, with paneled ceilings; lot 60 feet front on clean side of Adams st., and 150 feet deep to 15-foot alley; the price for this place is only $4000, on terms to suit purchaser; for full information call on
19 W. J. SCHERER CO., Sole Agent, 227 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—
Don't you want to own the prettiest cottage home in Los Angeles? We have just finished it, on W. 21st st., bet. Union and Toberman; thoroughly modern; new features; absolutely beautiful; sewer connection and all assessments paid; convenient to both lines of electric cars; no better section of the city; price $3100; terms easy. You can make monthly payments if you desire; cheaper than paying rent. See it, whether you buy or not. JOHNSON & KEENEY CO.,
20 Owners and Builders, 104 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — HOUSES ON INSTALLMENT plan.
We have new 5-room cottages with bay window fronts, cozy colonial porches and large halls, are most conveniently arranged for small families, and contain each a parlor, dining-room, with fireplace and mantel; 2 bedrooms, each having a closet and opening into the bathroom; kitchen and separate pantry; screen porch, brick foundation; cement walk; small payments down, balance easy monthly payments; you can buy one of these cottages while you are paying rent; located on Easton st., between Central ave. and Kohler. WILDE & STRONG, general real estate agent and auctioneer, 228 W. Fourth st. 19

FOR SALE—$2100—
—$150 CASH—
Balance in monthly payments, takes a nice 5-room cottage, modern, with bath, closet, wash-basin, sink and screen porch, hot and cold water, mantel, etc.; street graded and graveled; sewer connections all made; we must sell this house this week, so come and look at it and make offer.
19 W. J. SCHERER CO., 227 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—$1350; A VERY NEAT 4-ROOM cottage, with barn and outhouses, ½ block from Pico car line; just built; very small cash payment, balance $15 per month.
$1500—Splendid new 5-room cottage, bath, pantry, etc.; $150 cash, balance $15 per month; street graded, cement sidewalks; call early and make offer; clear lot taken in part payment.
$2000—2-story, 7-room house on corner lot; splendid business location.
Several choice corner lots on easy terms in fine location. Call
19 J. G. H. LAMPADIUS, 231 W. Second.

FOR SALE— SPLENDID 12-ROOM RESIdence with gas, bath, pantry, closets to each bedroom; hot and cold water upstairs and down; parlors very large, being 37 feet deep; house decorated throughout; barn, chicken-yard, fruit, flowers, etc.; lot 50x167; street graded, graveled, cement curb and walks; sewered; all paid for; this house is less than one block from University electric line, not two blocks from Figueroa st., and will sell for $5000; the next house but one is a duplicate, and the owner asks $7000 for it.
LEONARD MERRILL, 240 Brabury Blk. 19

FOR SALE—
—WILL BE SOLD—
—AT A SACRIFICE—
One of the most elegant residences in Los Angeles, situated on beautiful corner lot, 100x150, in the best part of the Bonnie Brae tract; house was built first-class by a wealthy eastern gentleman; owner is nonresident and if you want to buy a beautiful home cheap, it will certainly pay you to investigate this immediately.
20 M'KOON & YOAKUM, Sole Agents, 234 W. First st.

FOR SALE—THE PRETTIEST 6-ROOM COTtage in this city; beautiful woodwork, cove ceilings, large reception hall, polished floors, porcelain bath, with patent instantaneous heater; in fact, it is an elegant little home; located on large lot, 50x150 to alley; street graded, cement curb and walks, and is on 30th st., half a block from University electric line; price $3000, only $500 cash, balance any reasonable proposition.
19 LEONARD MERRILL, 240 Bradbury Blk.

FOR SALE—COZY 5-ROOM COTTAGE WITH bath barn, chicken-house, windmill and tank! you own your own water system and save $2 per month; cement walks, lawn, flowers, shrubbery, etc.; lot 50x150 to an alley; this nice little place is only one block from University electric line, and one block from Harper tract; price $2000, ¼ cash, baance to suit. LEONARD MERRILL,
19 240 Bradbury Block.

FOR SALE—$6500; ONE OF THE MOST ELegant 9-room houses in the city; brand new; every modern convenience, all street improvements in and paid for; adjacent property high grade; lot 50x160 to 20-foot alley; you can't go amiss for comfort or convenience in buying this house; it is southwest, on Flower st.; convenient to 2 lines of cars; will make good terms to right parties. LEONARD MERRILL, 240 Brabury Blk. 19

FOR SALE— $4000 BUYS ONE OF THE handsomest houses, inside and out, every convenience; 8 large rooms and reception, bath, hot and cold water; is decorated splendidly; improved properties all around; beautiful street; no shacks and shanties; small barn and wood or coal shed; photograph of this complete house at my office; reasonable terms.
LEONARD MERRILL, 240 Brabury Blk. 19

FOR SALE—$500 CASH, BALANCE TO SUIT you, buys the handsomest 7-room house, all new, beautifully decorated throughout; has bath, pantry, closets, 2 halls, hot and cold water upstairs and down; faces east, on lot 50x160 to 20-foot alley; on Union ave. near 3 car lines; street improved, including sewer, graveling and cement work; price $3850. LEONARD MERRILL, 240 Bradbury Block. 19

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL LITTLE HOME at Rialto; must be disposed of; 10 acres citrus orchard, 4 years old; good 6-room house, barn, etc.; 10 shares of Lytle Creek water stock deeded with property; worth $1000 cash; this ranch pays interest on $5000; I must sell or trade for something I can put in my pocket. Address owner, L, box 95, TIMES OFFICE, and make me offer. 19

FOR SALE— LOVELY 6-ROOM COTTAGE, first-class in every respect; cement walks, lawn and flowers; lot covered with assorted bearing fruit; water free; also two adjoining lots; must have cash, and will sell entire property for $2600 if taken immediately; situated in southwest, on traction line, in most rapidly improving locality; is bound to advance in value. Address owner, L, box 96, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
$5000—9-room dwelling, modern, southwest.
$2800—6-room cottage, southwest, corner.
$4000—9-room house and 2 acres, west.
$3000—10 acres, Vernon.
$2250—10 acres improved, Gardena.
$50 per acre, 160 acres East Los Angeles.
C. H. GIRDLESTONE, 19 237 W. First st.

FOR SALE—HOUSE; $2500; GREAT BARgain; fine new 6-room colonial, strictly modern; pine finish, large rooms, hall, bath, pantry, china closet, connected with sewer; everything to be complete; fine location, close to best electric line in city; this house now being completed; see me if you want something nice at right price. CHAPMAN, 103 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—A NEW AND STRICTLY MODern 5-room house, on 27th st.; price $1900.
A new and strictly modern 6-room house on 25th st.; price $2000.
A large 8-room house, with bath, etc.; on 28th st.; price $1750.
The above houses will be sold on easy payments. P. L. SHIDELER, 225 W. Second st. 19

FOR SALE—WE HAVE A FINE MODERN 8-room residence with reception hall, on Orange st.; lot 50x140; which for best of reasons must be sold at a sacrifice; we ask any one interested to just look at it. Call and submit an offer.
19 STILSON & PARSONS, S.E. cor. Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—$9500; FINE RESIDENCE, 10 rooms, gas, sewer, street graded and sidewalked; fine large stable; lot 50x173; house new, with all modern improvements; furnace, electric bells, etc.; very desirable neighborhood, 23rd, between Grand and Figueroa. POINDEXTER & WADSWORTH,
28 305 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—BEST PLACE IN THE CITY for raising chickens, or teamster, etc.; good 4-room house, 2 lots, fenced, 21 large fruit trees; lots of shade; large barn; flowers, etc.; see owner; price low and will take $300 cash payment, balance easy; or part exchange. BOAZ DUNCAN, 145 S. Broadway

FOR SALE—INSTALLMENTS; WE HAVE A new 6-room cottage on Adams near Main, hot and cold water, bath, gas and sewer connections. We have this for only a few days at $2300; it is a big bargain; look this up. CARTER & CHAMBERLAIN, 112 S. Broadway. 19

LINERS.

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—CHEAP; ELEGANT NEW COLonial house, 8 rooms, handsomely decorated; fine barn and grounds. $4200 net, half cash. 1213 W. 23rd st., or to let, $40 month. Address owner, LA CRESCENTA, Cal. Corner lot, 23rd and Hoover, with carriage-house, $1800 net. 19

FOR SALE—PRETTY NEW MODERN COTtage, in fine location; only $1800, $300 cash, $30 per month, including interest; if you haven't $300 on hand, come and see us anyway.
E. C. CRIBB & CO., or R. C. O'BRYAN,
19 127½ W. Second st.

FOR SALE—FINE 6-ROOM COTTAGE, EXcellent location; beautiful lawn elevation; barn, porcelain bath, 3 pair folding doors, 2 front entrances, full large porch; only one like it in the city. Price low.
E. C. CRIBB & CO., or R. C. O'BRYAN,
19 127½ W. Second st.

FOR SALE—HOW IS THIS? 6-ROOM NEW modern cottage, the coziest one you ever saw, within walking distance; bath and everything complete; you may not believe it, but the price is only $1600.
E. C. CRIBB & CO., or R. C. O'BRYAN,
19 127½ W. Second st.

FOR SALE—$2200; NEW 5-ROOM HOUSE, sewer connection, 173 Geary st., bet. Second and Third; near three car lines, within ten minutes' walk of Spring st., lot 40x120; stable. Inquire of owner, 198 N. ALVARADO St., take Temple-st. cable. 19

FOR SALE—A 6-ROOM FURNISHED HOUSE with barn; lot 55x150; all set to trees; lawn, shrubbery, 1 block from ocean; this property will be sold at a sacrifice; must sell, parties going East. Address MRS. E. LEMARD, Long Beach. 19

FOR SALE—A POLICY OF TITLE INSURance from the TITLE INSURANCE and TRUST CO., cor. of Franklin and New High sts., is always a good thing to have in the house. If you buy any of these houses do not forget it.

FOR SALE—$50 TO $100 CASH, $15 TO $20 per month on balance buys a new 5-room and bath modern cottage with city limits of S.P. shops; now's your time, railroad men, to get a home. Address P.O. BOX 662, or 1212 SAN PEDRO.

FOR SALE—WHY NOT HAVE A HOME? we have 3 cottages, southwest, on monthly payments, without cash payment down, to good party; call and see us at once, if you want one. CORTELYOU & GIFFEN, 404 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN; A NEW COTtage, close in, with bath and modern conveniences; lot 50x150 feet; payments same as rent, or exchange; price only $1000; owner must sell. Address M, box 52, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—$2000.
A beautiful cottage of 6 rooms, hot and cold water, bath, barn, lawn, shrubbery, flowers; ½ block from Traction cars; easy terms. J. C. OLIVER & CO., 256 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—ELEGANT NEW 5 AND 6-room cottages, Nos. 1310 and 1314 W. 10th; all modern improvements; sewer connections; full lots, running back to alley; terms small cash payment and monthly installments. THOMAS S. EWING, 116 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—$2000; ELEGANT, 5-ROOM; 8 minutes' walk to Courthouse; 50x150; barn; terms. ERNST & CO., 128 S. Broadway.
$3250—2-story 8-room modern; lot 55x140 to alley; close in; easy terms. ERNST & CO., 128 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—
Fine home; must sell; come and see, you are sure of a bargain; fine location.
19 J. P. LAMOREE, 1008 Olive.

FOR SALE—5 ROOMS, NEW, MODERN, very cheap; on University near 16th; easy terms.
E. C. CRIBB & CO., or R. C. O'BRYAN,
19 127½ W. Second st.

FOR SALE—PRETTY 8-ROOM COTTAGE and two lots at Glendale, at less than half value, or exchange for close-in city lot or near-in acreage.
19 G. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First st.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL COTTAGE NEW about completed, near 16th and Star; contains 6 rooms, very fine; will be sold for $2500; $500 cash and $25 per month.
19 L. H. MITCHEL, 136 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — $2800; 6-ROOM COTTAGE, new; bath, pantry and large closets; bet. Main and Grand ave., 14th and 17th sts.; part cash, time on balance. Address BOX 76, Pico Heights; bargain for cash. 19

FOR SALE—5 AND 6-ROOM COTTAGES IN southwest, on electric car line; small cash payment, balance monthly installments, with interest at 4 per cent. per annum only. E. S. ROWLEY, 244 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—$2700; ONLY $700 CASH; VERY attractive modern cottage; bath, gas for lighting, heating and cooking; large lot, all in lawn; southwest, near Adams and Hoover. Apply OWNER, 1010 W. 24th st. 19

FOR SALE—2 COTTAGES, ONE 4 AND ONE 5-room (new,) on electric car line, close in; only $1600 for both; will rent so as to pay 15 per cent. on investment. See J. M. TAYLOR & CO., 102 Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—ON EASY INSTALLMENTS, A modern house of 6 rooms, bath, pantry, barn, etc.; garden nicely laid out with choicest of flowers and fruit trees. JOS. SCOTT, room 8, 121 Temple st. 20

FOR SALE—COTTAGE 6 ROOMS, FINE LOcation; strictly first-class; only been occupied one year; owner must go East; will make a sacrifice. Address owner, M, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—6-ROOM HOUSE ON BUNKER Hill, near Temple; lot fronts on Bunker Hill and Hope sts.; very central; make us an offer. CARTER & CHAMBERLAIN, 112 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—$1350; ELEGANT 5-ROOM COLonial cottage, with three lots, 150 feet square, one block from Central ave. car line; terms easy. Address K, box 91, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—$1900—
A soft snap; a 2-story 7-room house only 7 blocks out; never vacant; rents $23 per month. J. C. OLIVER & CO., 256 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—A 2-STORY HOUSE, NICELY furnished, on one of the main streets in this city, with a big lot; a bargain; price $16,000, on terms. L. SCHMIDT, 115 W. First st. 20

FOR SALE—$3600; MY LOVELY COTTAGE, No. 2128 Estrella ave.; 6 rooms, bath, watercolor hand-painted decorations; all conveniences. BRADSHAW, 147 S. Broadway. 19-22-24

FOR SALE—8-ROOM HOUSE ON TENTH st. near Pearl; 50x140; a bargain; $3500.
STILSON & PARSONS,
19 S.E. cor. Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—6-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, on car line; everything first-class; lawn, flowers, fruit, etc.; must be sold soon. Address owner, M, box 1, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—HOUSES ON INSTALLMENTS; locations 10th st., 23d st., Yale and Alpine sts., all sizes and all prices. See owner, THOMAS S. EWING, 116 S. Broadway. 26

FOR SALE—BELOW COST IF TAKEN BEfore May, 6-room new modern cottage, on best block in Wolfskill tract. Address OWNER, M, box 50, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—I HAVE SEVERAL BEAUTIFUL homes for sale; everything new and clean; large lots; see me if you want something good. E. A. MILLER, 237 W. First st.

FOR SALE—INSTALLMENTS; 6-ROOM COTtage, hot and cold water, barn, good lawn; on American st., near Hoover. CARTER & CHAMBERLAIN, 112 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—A VERY DESIRABLE 8-ROOM house in the Bonnie Brae tract, in first-class order; lot 50x150 to alley. Inquire at 850 WESTLAKE AVE. 19

FOR SALE—A HANDSOME NEW 8-ROOM house, Bonnie Brae tract; can be bought on very advantageous terms. J. M. TAYLOR & CO., 102 Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—SPLENDID HOUSE 16 ROOMS, lot and furniture; always full; splendid location; almost new; close in. Address L, box 61, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—$1300; MONTHLY PAYMENTS; 5-room cottage, bath, etc.; University tract; 2 convenient car lines. Address OWNER, 612 N. Griffin ave. 19

FOR SALE — OWNER WILL SACRIFICE new, modern cottage, 6 rooms, Eighth st., near Pearl, for $1500. Address M, box 58, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE; 11-ROOM house, bargain, on Temple st., bet. Paul and Fremont sts. Call on H. KIVEL, 127½ S. Los Angeles st. 19

FOR SALE—AT LONG BEACH, 3-ROOM cottage, lot 25x150, near ocean, postoffice and station; price low. Address M, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—CULVER HAS THE PRETtiest new 5-room cottages in town; Seventh and Central ave; open all day; come down and see them. 19

FOR SALE—MODERN COTTAGE, BEAUTIfully furnished; University car, southwest. Call for particulars, room 427 BYRNE BUILDING. 19

FOR SALE—EVERYTHING MODERN IN our new cottages, Seventh and Central ave. CULVER. 19

FOR SALE — $800; 4-ROOM HOUSE; LARGE lot; terms easy. BOX 10, station K, city. 20

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE — $1350; NICE COTTAGE AND rooms and barn, on Rose st., close in; $850 cash, balance long time. WM. RUDDY, 328 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE — THE MOST FOR YOUR money, $2600 buys that artistic and modern arranged 6-room cottage on GIRARD AVE., near Union. 19

FOR SALE—BUSINESS CARDS AT $1 PER thousand; other printing in proportion. PACIFIC PRINTING PLANT, 217 New High st. Tel. 1400. 19

FOR SALE — $1300 HOUSE, 5 ROOMS AND bath, near University; $100 down and $15 a month. WM. RUDDY, 328 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE; LOVELY 6-room house; $550 cash, $750 trade. 1402 PRIMROSE ST., East Los Angeles. 19

FOR SALE — NEW 6-ROOM COLONIAL cottage on installments, cheap; on W. 16th. Address M, box 57, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE — $525; COTTAGE, 5 ROOMS, ON Boyle Heights; $300 cash, balance long time. WM. RUDDY, 328 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—SMALL HOUSE AND LOT, 50x150; price $350; $100 cash, balance 1 year. C. M. BUCK, 132 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—WE KEEP OPEN HOUSE TO show those new 5-room cottages at Seventh and Central ave. CULVER. 19

FOR SALE—$2600; 9-ROOM HOUSE, SOUTHwest; a bargain; it cost $3500. ALFORD & CO., 112 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—A 4-ROOM COTTAGE, CHEAP, to be moved off lot. Address L, box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—DOUBLE COTTAGE, 8 ROOMS, $2200; one side to let, $12 per month. 1343 W. 23RD ST. 19

FOR SALE—ON INSTALLMENTS, GOOD hard-finished cottage, or $650. JONES, 234 W. First st.

FOR SALE—HIGHEST TONED NEW RESIdence in city; mission style; nobby. 1910 FIGUEROA. 19

FOR SALE—
Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, THE FURNIture and lease of 50 rooms of the Grand Pacific, 423 S. Spring st., for unincumbered improved city property or lots in city, county or Chicago property, or navel orange, apricot or walnut orchard, worth $5000 cash; this rooming-house has no public dining-room; easy to run; does good business; owners returning East; it's a real bargain for cash or other property.

FOR SALE — ROOMING-HOUSE, 40 ROOMS, on Broadway, close in; will be sold cheap; rent low; good furniture.
For sale—Lodging-house, 21 rooms, on Broadway, close to Third; rent $60; one of the best-paying houses in the city. MRS. C. S. HEALD, 326 S. Broadway. 20

FOR SALE—($5000, OWNER); FURNITURE at value and three years' lease of 50-room family hotel; central and fashionable location, Los Angeles, Cal. This house has a fine reputation; every room full; clearing good money every day. JOHN HOSFORD, 727 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE — THE BEST LOCATION ON Hill st.; 35 rooms, all full; pays well; owner must go East; inducement made for cash, but will consider "exchange" propositions for good clear inside income property. Address K, box 32, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—THE BEST PAYING ROOMING-house in the most desirable location in the city; can be bought on reasonable terms; low rent, with long lease; house brings in a fine income. MISS DAWES & MRS. MARTIN, 125½ S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—48-ROOM FURNISHED LODGing-house, $3500; half cash, balance $40 monthly payments; or would trade for house and lot in city. ASSOCIATED HOTEL INVESTMENT BUREAU, Hotel Brokers, 102 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — BEST INCOME LODGING-house in the city; 40 rooms; rent $100; net income $250 per month the year round; respectable, neat and clean; close in. J. C. OLIVER & CO., 256 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—LODGING-HOUSE, 9 ROOMS, newly furnished; best part of town; house full; price $400. Address L, box 90, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—20 ROOMS, WORTH $1000, FOR $650; terms. Apply to
20 BEN WHITE, 221 W. First st.

FOR SALE— 12 ROOMS, CLEARING $50 monthly, $650.
20 BEN WHITE, 221 W. First st.

FOR SALE — FLAT OF 8 ROOMS FOR sale at a sacrifice; must be sold quick. ELLIOTT & BARNETT, 330 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE — BOARDING-HOUSE, CHEAP on account of sickness; rent very cheap; $10 a month. Inquire at 808 MACY ST. 19

FOR SALE — A LODGING-HOUSE OF 17 rooms, cheap; cause, poor health. Apply to MRS. W. A. DUNBAR, 328½ N. Main. 21

FOR SALE—LODGING-HOUSE, 41 ROOMS, partly furnished, close in; a great bargain. CREASINGER, 247 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE — LODGING-HOUSE, 16 ROOMS, all rented; must sell; $700 cash takes it. CREASINGER, 247 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—
We have an investment to offer that is as sound as government bonds, and as sure, on Broadway, south of First, which must be sold, and the owner is begging us to submit an offer; the only piece of Broadway property which is not held firmly up to value. We promise you a surprise on this.

We can also show an investor a 3-story modern brick block between Broadway and Spring, which pays steady income of 10 per cent., which can be bought at a very low price, and on favorable terms; $32,000.
STILSON & PARSONS,
(Successors to Moore & Parsons),
19 S.E. cor. Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE — BUSINESS PROPERTY, 40 feet front, less than 200 feet from Broadway; this is surrounded by new buildings; all well rented, and is a snap for $2250. SHERWOOD & NELSON, 242 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE — BY OWNER, 50-FOOT BUSIness lot, southwest, near corner, with 7-room cottage; $3000, if taken soon; lot is alone worth the money. BASSETT, 110 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—HAVING JUST PURCHASED a 14-room house, we have many bargains to offer.
Fine oak Welsh folding bed, $35; wardrobe and bookcase combined.
Fancy oak bookcase, $6.50.
Large pier mirrors, $10 and $12.
Flat-top writing desk, $6.50.
Oak bedroom set, 3 pieces, $12.
A cheaper one, 4 pieces, $8.50.
Bed lounge, plush, $6.50.
New cable springs, $2.
New mattresses, $2.
A good chair, 50 cents.
6-foot extension table, $4.
A good cook stove, $5.
Chairs, tables, bedding, bed lounges, couches, matting, linoleum, new and second-hand; carpets, oil cloth, barber's chair, $10; good Fowler bicycle, only $35.
COLGAN'S, 316 S. Main st.

FOR SALE—NEW ENGLAND GENERAL Auction House, 816 S. Grand ave.; Tel. 730; we will have our opening sale Tuesday, April 28, at 10 a.m., on strictly business basis, where the proprietor stands between buyer and seller, realizing all the money for the seller possible, and at the same time protects the buyer, as all stock is warranted as represented, and buyers have until 4 p.m., day of sale to return and get their money; sales regular, Tuesday and Friday, each week at 10 a.m. Money advanced on consignments, if desired, at 5 per cent. S. G. WETHERN, auctioneer.

FOR SALE—
A photographer's outfit, Central warehouse, 251 San Pedro st.
A large tent, Central warehouse, 251 San Pedro st.
A 2-seated wagon and a new buggy, Central warehouse, 251 San Pedro st.
A candy or tamale cart, a bargain, Central warehouse, 251 San Pedro st.
Steel range, 12 openings, a big bargain. CENTRAL WAREHOUSE, 251 San Pedro st.

FOR SALE—A COMPLETE LINE OF ICE cream freezers, for hand or power, comprising the Mills "Philadelphia," "Horizontal," "White Mountain" and "Cyclone." Also packing tubs and cans, brick molds, etc.; soda-water fountains, tanks and a general line of the supplies incident. SO. CAL. SUPPLY CO., wholesale dealers in bakers' and confectioners' supplies, 107-109 N. Los Angeles st., city.

FOR SALE—
COLGAN'S, 316 S. MAIN,
The place to buy, sell or exchange furniture, carpets, stoves and office furniture, etc.; estimates given on large or small lots of furniture; prices guaranteed; and auction sales conducted in any part of city. Don't sell before you get our figures.
30 COLGAN'S, 316 S. Main.

FOR SALE—
PROMPT, RELIABLE, EFFICIENT, LOS ANGELES AUCTION HOUSE,
19 502 S. Main st.

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE—

How is it with you?

Are you in need of household goods of any kind?

If you are

you will most assuredly save money by buying of us; at any rate, it will do you no no harm, so call on us and get our figures, and we know, if you do get our figures, you will certainly buy of us; our sales of the past week warrant us in saying this.

My! My! how the goods went out,

and how the new goods came in;

we have just got in as fine an assortment of artistic, medium-priced goods as any one would wish to look over.

Desks, roller tops and flat top,

sideboards and chiffonieres,

combination bookcases and extension tables,

wardrobes and center tables,

and bedsteads of all sizes;

all in oak and at prices as low as the lowest.

In bedroom suits, we can give you anything you want, and at figures that cannot be duplicated.

Wire cots, we can sell at prices less than they can be bought at in this town; "how is that?" Now, a last reminder about folding chairs; if you do not wish to stand during the coming festivities, call on us, and buy one of those double folding carpet-seat chairs; they are easier to carry than a hand satchel, and answer the place of an easy chair, exceedingly well.

We have a few left, and in order to get rid of them, will put them at a figure within reach of all, so come and see us.

J. B. RAINE & CO.,
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FOR SALE—
One standard billiard table, Brunswick patent cushions, marble bed; nearly new; complete, with ivory balls, cue rack, cover, cues, etc. Address L, box 93, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—ST. BERNARD DOG, 6 MONTHS old; sire Chief Cerewayo, Lord Hualpa-Bohemian Girl, dam, Tonita (California Bernardo-Atalanta;) price $25; full particulars and pedigree for stamp. Address BOX 1737 Fernando, Cal. 19

FOR SALE—EGGS; ¾ BRONZE TURKEY, $1 dozen; Toulouse geese, $2.25 dozen; guinea, $1; brown Leghorn, 75 cents; white Leghorn, 75 cents; Pekin duck, 65 cents; black Spanish, 75 cents. P.O. BOX 363, city. 19

FOR SALE—
—HAY—
W. W. HOWARD, 304 W. First st.

FOR SALE — DOUBLE YOUR MONEY while you sleep, the capitalist buys lots, but the wise man buys a home, neat, new and close in for $15 monthly; please call. I can suit you. R. D. LIST, 123½ W. Second

FOR SALE—6000 EUREKA LEMON NURSery stock; splendid trees, free from insects and scale; will sell 2000 or all to one party at 5 cents apiece, as they stand. BARR & CLAY REALTY CO., 117 S. Broadway. 21

FOR SALE — LOS ANGELES AUCTION HOUSE, 502 S. Main st. Money advanced on consignments of household goods, merchandise, store, bar and office fixtures; auction sales every Saturday, 10 o'clock. 20

FOR SALE—12,000 WASHINGTON NAVELS, 3000 Valencia late, 4000 lemons, 500 grape fruit, 500 Ruby Blood, 500 St. Michael; all buds 1 year old, on 4-year root. Address C. G. ATKINSON, San Gabriel. 19

FOR SALE—CHEAP, ONE GREAT UNION Square piano, rosewood case, beautiful tone; call afternoon or evening, 22D ST., three doors west of Hoover, on south side; take Third-st. Traction car. 19

FOR SALE—30,000 CHOICE WASHINGTON navel orange trees, 1, 2 and 3 years old, in frostless Redlands and Highland; also lemon and grape-fruit trees. EARL W. GARRISON, Redlands, Cal. 19

FOR SALE — WE CONDUCT AUCTION sales in the city and any place in California, and can get you more money than any one else. E. A. MILLER & CO., auctioneers, 435 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE AND LEASE OF 24-room lodging-house, centrally located; rooms all occupied; price $1550; rent $75. For information call at 215 N. BROADWAY, north entrance. 19

FOR SALE—A FINE SHERWOOD & SON upright piano; used but little; in perfect condition, with 5-year guarantee; $125 cash. BLANCHARD-FITZGERALD MUSIC CO., 113 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—A GREAT LOT OF BEDDING, such as sheets, pillows, comforts, blankets, as well as furniture, must be sold tomorrow, Monday, at 10 o'clock, at 318 E. SEVENTH ST. 19

FOR SALE—GAS ENGINE; ALMOST NEW; 3 and 5-horse power Golden Gate Gasoline engine; also deep well centrifugal pump. Address 154-156 N. LOS ANGELES ST.

FOR SALE— BRAND-NEW BUGGY, FINest material; cost $175 East, besides freight; will sell at a great bargain for cash. Address L, box 53, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—SELLING OUT UNDER COST lot of hardware and tinware; also organ, will play 16 tunes, cost $125; price $25. HENRY WARD, 503 S. Spring.

FOR SALE— 10,000 2-YEAR-OLD LEMON trees, 10,000 3 to 4-year-old olive trees; the whole for $60 per thousand, f.o.b. cars. J. R. THURMOND, Carpenteria. 19

FOR SALE—A FINE BEE APAIRY; MUST sell on account of poor health. COLVIN & HUNTINGTON, 232 W. First st., Los Angeles, or Santa Ana, Cal. 19

FOR SALE — LAW BOOKS; CALIFORNIA Reports, Mass. Reports and other law books; also office fixtures. Address K, box 29, TIMES OFFICE. 20

FOR SALE—A PAIR OF DIAMOND EARrings, perfect and white, cost $50; will take $35 (need money.) Call at Room 9, 119 E. FIRST ST. 19

FOR SALE — OFFICE DESK, CHAIRS, 2½-horse electric motor, router, shafting, belting, etc. Call Monday, 125½ S. BROADWAY, rear room. 19

FOR SALE—ROCKAWAY CARRIAGE FIRST class condition, cheap, made by H. D. Gates. Call TABER CARRIAGE WORKS, 125 W. Fifth st. 19

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE— CHICKEN RANCH IN CITY limits; chickens, incubators, brooders, etc.; rent cheap. See owner, MILKINE MAN, 456 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—CHEAP; APIARY; A SNAP FOR cash; house and buildings, bees, tools, etc.; on leased land; living creek, etc. BOX 151, Santa Monica. 19

FOR SALE—1850-LB. SAFE, CHEAP, OR TO exchange for larger one. Apply 8 a.m. to 9 p.m., BOSTON OPTICAL CO., 228 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—MAJESTIC BICYCLE IN GOOD order, $35 cash; in use 6 months. E. C. SCHNABEL, 116 S. Broadway, 1:30 to 2:30 afternoons. 16

FOR SALE— STANDARD DRILLING OUTfit; blacksmith shop; all used 4 months; cheap for cash. Call 10 S. RAYMOND AVE., Pasadena. 19

FOR SALE—HANDSOME NEW SIDEBOARD dining table and four chairs; will sell at a bargain, separtely or together. 140 W. 27TH ST. 19

FOR SALE—ROLL-TOP DESK, 2 REVOLVing chairs, 3 office chairs, etc., in good condition, cheap. Apply 537 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 19

FOR SALE—BUSINESS CARDS AT $1 PER thousand; other printing in proportion. PACIFIC PRINTING PLANT, 217 New High st. Tel. 1400. 19

FOR SALE — A BEAUTIFUL UPRIGHT piano at just half what it cost 3 months ago. 421 CRESCENT AVE., off Temple st. 21

FOR SALE — LOS ANGELES AUCTION HOUSE buys, sells and exchanges household goods of every description. 502 S. MAIN ST. 19

FOR SALE—$15 MONTHLY BUYS A HOME, new 4-room cottage, closets and bath, Ninth and Central. R. D. LIST 123½ W. Second.

FOR SALE — "THE CHALLENGE" WINDmill, good condition, very cheap. SAN FERNANDO, next to the 3-mile house. 19

FOR SALE—A DELIVERY WAGON, ALmost as good as new; will sell cheap; also a set of harness. ZIPSER, 835 Lyon st. 19

FOR SALE — MY NEW UPRIGHT PIANO at a great sacrifice; must have money; upstairs. 247 S. BROADWAY, room 20. 21

FOR SALE—2 SURREYS, ONE LIGHT AND one heavy; owner's absence reason for selling. Apply 117 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 19

FOR SALE — CASH OR HOUSEHOLD goods to any amount. LOS ANGELES AUCTION HOUSE, 502 S. Main st. 19

FOR SALE— OR TRADE; ONE BARNES hand-power rip saw; one Barnes foot-power shaper. Apply 214 W. FOURTH. 19

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE, 2 NEW 6-foot Standard mowers, only used 10 days. Call COAL YARD, Pico Heights. 20

FOR SALE — AUCTION SALES EVERY Saturday, 10 o'clock. LOS ANGELES AUCTION HOUSE, 502 S. Main st. 19

FOR SALE—HIGH-GRADE IMPERIAL BIcycle; in perfect order; price $40. Apply J. O. SMITH, 339 S. Spring st. 19

FOR SALE— CHEAP; A GOOD RANGE, with water attachment; used but short time. Apply 833 UNION AVE. 19

FOR SALE—WILL SELL SOLITAIRE DIAmond cheap, if taken at once. Address M, box 31, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—15 NICE BEDROOM SETS TO be sacrificed at auction Monday, 10 a.m. at 318 E. SEVENTH ST. 19

FOR SALE — NINE-FOOT FRENCH RANGE complete at your own price. 620 S. Spring st. WILSON & CO. 19

FOR SALE—CHICKEN DINNER, 25c, AT the LA VETA, 411 S. Broadway, from 4 to 7:30. Come early. 19

FOR SALE—A SWEET-TONED UPRIGHT piano, in good condition, $125. ROOM 4, 415½ S. Spring. 19

FOR SALE— INCUBATOR AND BROODER, $12; spring wagon, $25; jump-seat, $50. 508½ S. BROADWAY. 19

FOR SALE — AT SACRIFICE, NICE FURniture of 5-room cottage; must sell at once. 551 S. OLIVE. 19

FOR SALE—OR TO LET; GOOD CAMPING wagon. J. TUCKER, cor. 10th and A sts., Pico Heights. 19

FOR SALE—ONE BARNES'S FOOT-POWER mortising machine, as good as new. 842 BEACON ST. 19

FOR SALE—AN UPRIGHT DECKER PIANO at a bargain for cash. In store, 610 S. SPRING ST. 19

FOR SALE — COMPLETE WELL-BORING outfit, REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE, 224 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—PARTY GOING TO EUROPE wish to sell furniture for 6 rooms. 642 S. MAIN ST. 19

FOR SALE — 1000 BARRELS OF CRUDE oil in certificates. Address F, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE — TALLY-HO, 3-SEATED CARriage and express wagon. 941 GEORGIA BELL ST. 19

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 5 ROOMS AT a bargain. Address M, box 38, TIMES OFFICE. 21

FOR SALE—WINDMILL, TOWER, 5000-GALlon tank, pipes and pump. 1127 S. HILL ST. 19

FOR SALE—126-FOOT PICKET FENCE, AS good as new. Inquire 227 W. 33D ST., city. 19

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN; TOP BUGGY, good as new. Call at 228½ REQUENA ST. 19

FOR SALE—GOOD TOP BUGGY AND HARness, $25. 507½ S. SPRING ST., room 12. 19

FOR SALE—A HIGH-GRADE BICYCLE, IN fine conditon, $45. 121½ S. BROADWAY. 19

FOR SALE—SALOON BAR FIXTURES, cheap, if taken Tuesday. 108 E. FIRST. 19

FOR SALE—CHEAP; TWO INCUBATORS, in good order. Apply 876 N. PEARL. 19

FOR SALE—10-HORSE ENGINE BOILER. 514 S. Spring. CHAS. E. MARSHALL. 19

FOR SALE—A $15 MIMEOGRAPH, GOOD AS new, $10. Apply 19 CRESCENT AVE. 19

FOR SALE —'95 COLUMBIA WHEEL, GOOD as new; cheap. 119 S. WATER ST. 19

FOR SALE—A HALL SAFE, CHEAP. 267 S. LOS ANGELES ST., near Third st. 20

FOR SALE — $16; GOOD 2-SEATED SPRING wagon. Apply 1513 W. PICO ST. 19

FOR SALE—CHEAP; A '95 MODEL BICYcle at 622 WALL ST. 19

FOR SALE— TWO BOOKCASES. ENOCH KNIGHT, Land Office. 19

FOR SALE—BABY BUGGY, GOOD AS NEW, $6. 119 S. GRAND. 20

FOR SALE—SMILAX FOR FIESTA. Address P.O. BOX 344, city. 19

FOR SALE — UPRIGHT PIANO. 713 S. BROADWAY. 21

FOR SALE—ONE BASS DRUM, AT 435 S. SPRING. 19

FOR SALE—10x12 TENT. 319 CYPRESS AVE., Pasadena. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

$8000—FOR EXCHANGE—FOR LAND, IMproved or unimproved, 2 9-room modern houses, within a few blocks from Courthouse; mortgage $3000. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$9000—FOR EXCHANGE— A VERY FINE new 10-room residence on Figueroa st., with very large lot, all valued at $9000; mortgage of about $5000 to be assumed, and will take balance in other good clear property. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$3500—FOR EXCHANGE — 2½ ACRES IN west part of the city, bet. Pico and Washington, with good new 3-story, 8-room house, etc.; value $3500; will exchange for house and lot closer in and some cash. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$3500—FOR EXCHANGE— STORE BUILDing in this city, together with lot valued at $3500; mortgage of $1500, long time at low rate of interest; will trade equity for vacant lots or small house and lot. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$6250—FOR EXCHANGE— A BEAUTIFUL 12½-acre navel orange grove at Redlands, in bearing and valued at $6250; mortgage of $2500; will exchange for city property and assume like amount or more. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$4500—FOR EXCHANGE—NEW AND MODern 9-room residence in southwest part of the city, bet. Pico and 16th; price $4500; mortgage $2250; will trade equity for lots or house and lot in city or acreage close to the city. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$2600—FOR EXCHANGE—6-ROOM HOUSE with good lot on 15th st., bet. Main and Grand ave.; price $2600, clear of incumbrance; will trade for small piece of land close to the city. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

$3000—FOR EXCHANGE—A GOOD 8-ROOM residence, with lot 160x240, located on the high ground in the north part of the city; valued at $3000, clear of incumbrance; will exchange for house and lot in south or west part of city and pay cash difference. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—
BY WILDE & STRONG,
$4000—Beautiful house for country property, close in; incumbrance $1400.
$3200—Fine 10-acre tract just south city, for improved city property.
25-room lodging house, location A1, for city property.
WILDE & STRONG,
19 228 W. Fourth st.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,
Broadway and Second st.
C. F. W. Palmer, Manager Real Estate Department.

$1200—2 good lots in Los Angeles, free and clear, for small alfalfa ranch, with some buildings; lots are all right; have you the ranch?
$1200—4-room, new, plain cottage in Pasadena, large lot, set out to choice fruits; want furniture or lodging-house for equity; cottage will rent for $10 to $12 per month.
$2400—11 acres fine grain land, with fair improvements, 9 miles from city, on Washington road; want clear residence or vacant lots; might assume or put in $500.
$2500—and $3000; good Chicago property to exchange for Los Angeles property, small mortgages.
$3000—4 acres, nicely improved; with dwelling, barn, corrals, water, fruit trees and shrubbery, at Paso Robles, would take Los Angeles R. E., or business and put in some cash.
$3500—Fine 6-room modern house and good barn, in splendid locality; place is nicely decorated, has gas, bath, electric lights, furnace, etc.; want vacant lots or good business for equity of $2000.
$4000—A fine ranch of 17 acres, good house, 6 rooms, barn, chicken house, well, 960 lemons, 175 olives, balance in prunes, walnuts, pears, etc., at Escondido; want Los Angeles home.
$4000—10 acres at Covina; the best orange land, cottage, barn, henhouse and corrals, plenty water; all set to fruit, ½ bearing, 7 years old; want alfalfa ranch or city property of equal value.
$3500—A modern 9-room dwelling on 30th st., built for home, has all conveniences, in first-class condition; want vacant lots worth $2000.
$5000—60 acres, finely improved land, near Ludington, Mich., pays big income and well worth price asked; want orange grove of about same value.
$6500—45-acre ranch, well improved, fine soil and buildings, east of Redondo, in corn, barley, walnuts, etc; this place has great future; want rental property in Los Angeles, same price.
$12,000—A lovely suburban home at Sierra Madre Villa, exceptionally well planned and built house, beautiful grounds, splendid view, all conveniences; want Los Angeles residence, vacant lots or business property, and would assume.
$18,000—A lovely suburban home in Sierra Madre, 1 mile east of the villa, 5 acres set to citrus and deciduous fruits in bearing, and highly adorned with flowers and shrubbery, etc., fine dwelling; also cottage and other buildings; owner would exchange for Santa Barbara property or ranch near Santa Barbara; what have you?
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,
Broadway and Second sts. C. F. W. Palmer,
Manager Real Estate Department. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—$2500; 5 ACRES IN FRUIT and alfalfa; 5-room house, barn, etc.; desirable property, clear; want Los Angeles residence.
For exchange—$5000; 10 acres, fine ranch, desirable home, at the foothills, east of Orange; 9 acres choice fruit in bearing; clear; want Los Angeles residence.
For exchange—$3000; 21 acres near Santa Ana; 14 acres fine alfalfa; 5 acres oranges, apricots and apples; good 6-room house, modern conveniences; this is good property and clear; want farm in Eastern Kansas or Nebraska, or good locality in Iowa. Also 50 acres 3 miles from Orange, damp land, good 5-room cottage, etc.; land in corn, potatoes and oats this year; clear; price $5000; want farm in East Kansas or Nebraska, or good Iowa. Also 5 acres, highly improved, a fine home place, clear, near Santa Ana, and a good 50-acre tract in Riverside county, clear, for land in same locality as the above. The four properties can be exchanged together for one fine farm.
$12,500—Fine stock ranch in Arizona, with 800 cattle, for acre property in Orange county.
For Exchange—$7500; 21 acres, desirable fruit ranch, Orange county; oranges, lemons, walnuts and apricots; for stock ranch in or near San Benito county, Cal.
For exchange—$12,000 worth of good income property in Flint, Mich., for property in Orange county.
For Exchange—$2500; 20 acres good vacant land near Orange, clear, for Los Angeles property; this land is water stocked and near school.
For exchange—$8500; finest 10-acre income ranch in Orange county, for good house, clear, in Los Angeles.
For Exchange—$8000 16 acres, fine ranch home, near Orange, clear; walnuts and oranges; want St. Paul residence or business property, clear.
For exchange—$6500; 10 acres, highly improved, in the city of Orange; clear; for stock of hardware or groceries.
For exchange—$5000; 24 acres near Orange, all in fruits and nuts; for Los Angeles residence.
For Exchange—$1100; 160 acres in Wisconsin for property in Orange county.
For Exchange—$16,000; one of the finest orange groves in Riverside for something in Orange county.
For Exchange—$2000; 10 acres near Orange, clear, for Southern Minnesota.
For full information regarding any of the above, call upon or address
CRADDICK & SMITH,
19 Orange, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—
C. M. WELLS. H. B. EAKINS.
WHOLESALE EXCHANGE.

We have a stack of exchanges from which you can pick something to fit everything. Below we give you an idea of them. If you cannot match these, we probably have what you want if you will ask to see it.

$18,000—Vacant lots in fine location in Chicago; clear of incumbrance; will exchange from $6000 to $18,000 worth for producing fruit ranch near Redlands or Highland.
$9000—Here is an unusual opportunity that must be taken at once; equity of $2500 in 9-room house, within a stone's throw of Broadway and Second; lot 55x165; most excellent location for flats; exchange for city, country or eastern.
$8000—1½ acres, making one of the finest sites for residence in the city, close in and adjoining residences that have cost not less than $25,000; clear of incumbrance; will exchange for good country property, improved or unimproved; alfalfa land preferred.
$7000—Business property on W. Sixth st.; lot 50x100; 2 stores and living-rooms; exchange equity of $5000 for alfalfa land or other city property; this is an A1 proposition.
$6000—172 acres, Washington, fenced and cross-fenced; 2 houses, barns, packing-house, good springs, steamboat landing; 50 acres bearing orchard, cherries, pears, apples, peaches, etc.; exchange for ranch here and assume.
$1250—5 acres on Wilmington road, just south of city; 2 good artesian wells; small house; exchange for lot or house and lot and assume up to $1000.
$1000—Good 4-room, hard-finished and papered house, new; 2 porches; exchange as first payment on house in hill section near in and put in cash.
$900—Stock ladies' fine shoes at cost, factory price; no freight added; give invoice value for city lot or good acreage, and might assume small mortgage.
WELLS & EAKINS,
19 328 S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—
——BARR & CLAY REALTY CO.,——
117 S. Broadway.
$2000—4-ROOM COTTAGE, HOT AND COLD water, bath, sewer connected, small barn, etc.; lot 50x165; fruit trees, lawn, etc.; always rented, $12 per month; will exchange equity for fruit ranch.
$5000—10-ROOM NEW MODERN HOUSE; elegant place, on beautiful Adams st.; incumbrance $2300; will exchange equity for clear ranch or acreage.
$6000—A 10-ROOM MODERN RESIDENCE, beautiful location, and 4 lots; incumbrance $2000; will exchange equity for ranch.
$6000—FINE 9-ROOM HOUSE, GAS, BATH, sewerage, barn, etc.; good location; incumbrance $2000; will exchange equity for good ranch. (73)
$7000—9-ROOM, PRESSED-BRICK HOUSE, cement cellar, modern improvements, Chicago, Ill.; incumbrance $1500, 7 per cent. gross; will exchange equity for ranch or acreage.
$6500—ELEGANT 11-ROOM RESIDENCE IN tony part of Chicago suburbs; finished in quartered oak and cherry; cellar under entire house; lot 65x140; rented for $45 per month; incumbrance $2300; will exchange for good ranch and assume equal amount. (72)
$13,000—15 ACRES ON CENTRAL AVE. near Vernon; ripe for subdivision; will exchange clear for good alfalfa ranch south of city.
$10,000—CLOSE TO CITY, TWENTY-ACRE ranch; about 12 acres in nearly all full-bearing fruit; house, barn, etc.; plenty water; good income; will exchange for good eastern city property.
BARR & CLAY REALTY CO.,
19 117 S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—2 LOTS IN WOLFSKILL tract; a splendid 240-acre ranch for Chicago property; good income Los Angeles property for Chicago; fine Minneapolis property for California; a section in Texas rented for cash for Los Angeles lots; income property in different cities of the East for Los Angeles or California property. If you have something you can't get rid of send it to MACKNIGHT & CO., room 223 Byrne building, corner Third and Broadway. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—23-ACRE RANCH. CALL 826 S. MAIN. 20

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—
410. Business and other improved property in Cleveland.
385. Finely improved farm, 234 acres, $30,000; clear.
376. 500-acre farm, Decatur, Ala.
160. Fine property in Cincinnati.
319. A finely improved 10 acres at Pasadena, ½ mile out; $8000; clear.
168. Fine income property, brick and stone block, in an Ohio town.
331. Residences in Indiana and Illinois, clear.
180. Residence and good business at San Bernardino.
387. 40-acre fruit ranch for Missouri farm.
353. A finely improved ranch at Santa Ana for farm in Eastern Kansas or Eastern Nebraska, or Northern Missouri, Iowa or Illinois.
411. Several fine alfalfa ranches of about 300 acres in Southern California; new buildings, registered stock; all modern implements for making butter and get the highest price for every pound made.
CALIFORNIA INVESTMENT CO.,
19 Pasadena.

FOR EXCHANGE—
7-room house on Maple ave., for nice house, southwest; willing to pay cash difference.
7-room house, very nice, for good alfalfa land or vacant lots.
8-room house; what have you to offer?
8-room house for vacant lots, or small place.
5-room house for lodging-house.
21 acres, Cahuenga, for city.
10 acres fine land, 8 miles from city, southwest.
20 acres alfalfa land for city.
50 acres adjoining city limits; what have you to offer?
80 acres, San Diego county, for city.
80 acres, San Fernando, for city.
2500 acres, San Diego county, fine stock ranch; abundance of wood and water; 160 acres in alfalfa, 800 acres in grain, 100 head fine cattle, 500 hogs, 75 head of horses, wagons and all farming implements; good house, barn and corrals.
40-room hotel, all furnished, Oceanside, 1 8 and 1 10-room house, Oceanside.
1 brick building, 2 stories and 12 rooms, in Oceanside, for good city or acre property.
COUTS, WILSON & CO.,
19 317½ S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$2200—Modern cottage of 5 rooms, located on W. 11th st. near electric car line; will take lot as part payment.
$2500—House of 6 rooms, streets graded, cement walks, etc.; located on 31st st. near Grand; will take good lot as part payment.
$8000—Beautiful residence of 8 rooms, southwest, and two lots; will exchange for well improved ranch.
$2000—Modern house of 5 rooms, located on Water st. near electric car line, for vacant land near city.
$5600—Fine residence of 10 rooms, southwest between two car lines, for good vacant land.
$5000—Elegant residence of 9 rooms, southwest; good location, near electric car line; will take good unimproved land.
GOWAN, EBERLE & CO.,
19 143 S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—300 ACRES FINE FARM, Montgomery county, Kan.; price, $6000; all clear.
160 acres fine bottom farm, Montgomery county, Kan.; does not overflow; price $3500; all clear.
320 acres alfalfa land, Kern county, Cal.; price $5000; mortgage $750 due in two years.
160 acres bottom land, does not overflow; 15 miles south of San Diego; price $4000; all clear.
Block of lots (12), lay fine, price $600; all clear.
40 acres good alalfa land near Phoenix, Ariz.; price $2000; all clear; what have you for any of the above? Address BOX 80, San Diego, Cal. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—
12 fine lots in Denver worth about $1600 for you to investigate and about $1000 in cash for a $3200 cottage of 5 or 6 rooms.

$4000 for best 10 acres on double clean corner ¼ mile of city limits; good new buildings, assorted fruits, 6 acres to alfalfa; best land in California; will take a good cottage at about $2500; want it close in.

D. A. MEEKINS,
19 315 S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—BUSINESS PROPERTY—
$50,000—Income $325 per month.
$35,000—3-story block, income $250 per mo.
$35,000—3-story block, income $300 per mo.
$30,000—2-story brick block paying good income.
$12,000—Income $100 per month.
These properties are located on the principal business streets in this city, and will bear thorough investigation.
For further particulars call on or address
GOWAN, EBERLE & CO.,
19 143 S. Broadway.

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41 houses and lots, everywhere.
33 vacant lots, all prices.
100 ranches, improved and unimproved, large and small; over 2000 properties of every description, city and country, to choose from. Los Angeles property for Oakland or San Francisco property.
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FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD EQUITY; $2000; near Westlake; unimproved, for lot between Maple ave. and Main, Pico and Washington; will assume or pay cash difference for two lots. P.O. BOX 411. 19

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FOR EXCHANGE—$2000; MODERN 6-ROOM cottage and lot near Bonnie Brae and First; no incumbrance; for ranch or vacant land near Hollywood. C. A. SUMNER & CO., 134 S. Broadway. 20

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Notice is hereby given that Tuesday, the 5th day of May, 1896, at 10 o'clock a.m. of said day, at the courtroom of this court, Dept. No. 2 thereof, in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, and state of California, has been appointed as the time and place for hearing the application of James Castruccio and Stefano Cordano praying that a document now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to said petitioners, at which time and place all persons interested therein may appear and contest the same.

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Ball at the Grand Pavilion Friday Night—Novel Features of a Lavish Entertainment—Those Who Were There.

SANTA BARBARA, April 18.—(Special Correspondence.) A dazzling, glittering, bewildering picture greeted the eye of the beholder as he entered the door of the grand pavilion Friday night while the ball that was to conclude the Flower Festival festivities was in progress. No such assembly has ever been witnessed in Santa Barbara since it was founded. The youth and beauty from nearly every city in the United States was present. Magnificent costumes adorned the belles; jewels bedecked the fair ones, and all were in full dress. The natty uniforms of the officers of the U.S.S. Philadelphia were a pleasing addition to the surroundings.

At no time has the pavilion looked so much like the halls of Eblis as it did on Friday night. The three hundred and more incandescent lights illuminated and beautified the entire kaleidoscopic scent. The floor with its snow-white canvas, the pale blue and cream streamers running from the walls to the center pole of the pavilion, the orchestra stand embowered with palms and roses, the light yellow decorations of the walls of the room, the sweet strains of the music, and the whirl of the beautifully-dressed participants made last night's affair one to linger long in the minds of all who witnessed it. Eight hundred or more spectators were seated upon the raised platforms that surrounded the entire pavilion, while upon the dancing floor were seen two hundred and odd couples.

After two or more hours were passed in tripping the light fantastic toe, the merry-makers passed to the fine dining-room of the Arlington, where a dainty luncheon was served. The dining-room was a picture of loveliness. Fish netting was draped from the center of the ceiling to the sides of the wall and nearly to the floor. Above this was a lining of fine muslin, while scattered through the meshes if the netting were roses, giving the whole a dresden effect. The scene was brightened with myriads of incandescent lights.

Many were the rich, as well as becoming costumes on the floor. To mention all would be impossible, and superfluous, as well, but suffice it to enumerate the few that space and time permit.

Mrs. R. J. Hall wore white brocade satin, demi-train, waist trimmed with elegant lace, silver necklace and diamond ornaments.

Mrs. S. P. Stowe, black silk, with point lace.

Mrs. Ronald Thomas, heavy white satin, pearl trimmings.

Mrs. Dr. Winchester wore pink brocaded silk, pink chiffon trimmings, pink Cecil Bruner roses.

Mrs. Sawyer was severely but becomingly attired in black. No ornaments.

Mrs. Martin was gracefully gowned in blue satin skirt with white waist.

Mrs. Banks of Philadelphia was richly attired in brocaded satin, with white waist.

Mrs. Voorhees wore green and white striped silk.

Mrs. W. W. Burton, white satin.

Mrs. John Bradbury of Los Angeles was elegantly atitred in brocaded silk skirt, with white waist, trimmed in black velvet.

Mrs. Dr. Blair-Thaw wore an elegant blue and pink figured silk.

Mrs. Felton was attired in black, powdered hair, pink roses.

Mrs. George B. Gleney of Buffalo was richly attired in rainbow-colored satin, trimmed in point lace, hair powdered, tortoise-shell comb.

Mrs. R. B. Canfied wore heavy black satin, with silver trimmings.

Mrs. W. W. Roberts, white silk.

Mrs. Philip Rice, black satin.

Mrs. Arthur Garland, old rose, trimmed with white lace.

Msr. Philip Rice, black skirt, pink satin waist, trimmed in white lace.

Mrs. Hopkins of San Francisco was becomingly attired in white satin, trimmed with dotted swiss ruffles, and ornamented with scarlet roses. This was one of the most tasteful and becoming costumes on the floor.

The Misses Banks of San Francisco wore white swiss, over pink silk.

Miss Doremus, blue satin skirt, delicately brocaded polonaise.

Miss Carrie Bell was daintily gowned in pink and white-striped silk.

Miss Bessie Cooper was bewitchingly attired in white, with yellow satin ribbons.

Miss Ada Katy, blue satin, trimmed with white lace.

Miss Myra Nickerson, elegant pink satin.

Miss Ethen Doeg, hand-painted pink gauze.

Miss Davis, pink and green brocaded satin.

Miss Young of Monteoito was richly attired in orange-colored satin.

Miss Ethel Doulton, blue satin, with pink trimmings.

Miss Fernald, white silk brocaded trimmings.

Miss Nixon wore pale blue silk.

Miss Blanche Nixon was simply, but becomingly, attired in white.

Miss Mable wore white swiss, over figured pink silk; very becoming.

Miss Elizalde, blue satin, white ribbon trimmings.

Mr. Biddle personated the Spanish cavalier, in elegant blue velvet, with silver trimmings.

Reginald Fernald, cowboy, in scarlet velvet trousers, blue vest, white puffed shirt. Very pretty.

THE BALL.

The last of the floral festivities was by no means the least, for the pavilion with its tri-colored draperies, beautifully decorated with flowers, and brilliantly lighted, presented a gay and festive scene.

At 9 o'clock under the skillful wielding of Hans Schuy's baton, the dulcet strains of the Italian waltz floated out upon the air, and fell upon the ear as softly as petals from blown roses upon the grass, and as a staccato chord was struck, softly and gently emerged four maidens, as from a fairyland, invitingly bearing garlands of roses as if to welcome every greeting guest. Another chord was struck and four more glided in, in the same graceful manner. A third time a similar chord brought a quartette of these fairy maids in view and twelve snowy-robed figures met the eye, attired in accordeon-pleated skirts, with fluffy waists of the same material. Four colors were displayed in the garlands, namely, white, pink, yellow and red, and in their weaving and festooning, happily blended into one harmonious whole; and as though this were not enough of beauty, a fourth staccato movement ushered forth, as if on the wings of air, three dainty butterflies in the persons of Miss Anita Sullivan, Miss Helen Meigs and Miss Elizina Felton, arrayed in pink tarlatan, and their fairy-like figures flitted and fluttered and poised with such deftness and skill that one might easily fancy their gauze-like forms were natural instead of allegorical.

To make special mention of any one of these three sweet little maids would be unjust, since each one danced with her own native grace.

And from each fairy form flew ten thousand little loves and graces to revel in the roses.

After the introductory dance by the butterflies, which terminated in a very pretty tableau, came the flower dance proper, which was very gracefully and artistically done, and comprised four figures, which followed in regular succession, viz: four horizontal rows, the circle, cross and pyramid, ending with a very effective tableau and waltz exit.

The applause with which this charming performance was greeted was vociferous and so clamorous were the spectators for more that the beautiful scene was repeated with as much if not greater satisfaction than at first.

The never-to-be-forgotten flower dance, so gracefully and modestly executed by Mrs. Archie Greenwell, the three Misses Lacy, Miss Rose Kittridge, Miss Rosamond Meigs, Miss Ruby Nixon, Miss Packard, the Misses Stewart, Miss Sanborn and Miss Strong, lasted just one hour. Suffice it to say that these maidens captured many a heart without consent and left the victor's crown to be scuffled for by slaves.

THOSE WHO PARTICIPATED.

Those present and dancing were: Admiral and Mrs. Beardslee, O. Wertheimer and Miss Nixon, Ensign Coontz, F. A. Conant and Mrs. Quigley, Mrs. Palmer and Miss Palmer, Mrs. M. A. Heath, E. W. Squier, Dr. C. M. Haviland, Mr. and Miss Loomis, Mrs. E. C. Brown, P. R. Brown, Cadet Johnson, Judge W. B. Cope, Lieut. McLemore, Cadet Laning, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Burton, Miss Helen Smith, Cadet Karns, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Waterman, Mrs. Phillips, Judge R. B. Canfield and Mrs. Canfield, Henley C. Booth, Mrs. Dunn, A. B. Williams and Mrs. Williams, A. M. Ruiz, Dr. R. J. Hall, Mrs. S. P. Stow, S. P. Stow, Roland Thomas, J. J. Perkins and Miss Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. P. Rice, Capt. C. P. Low, Mrs. Low, Alfred Edwards and Mrs. Edwards, R. G. Fulton, Mrs. Fulton, S. Loomis and Miss L. Breslauer, J. C. Wilson, Mrs. J. C. Wilson, Miss Fernald, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Sawyer, Mrs. Lindley, Miss Lindley, Mr. Sawyer, B. Fithian, Mrs. John Bradbury, Miss Wicker, John Bradbury, Mr. Cook, A. Burson, Miss Keys, Assistant Engineer H. B. Price, Mrs. Price, H. L. Center, Mrs. H. L. Center, Passed-Assistant Enigneer Conant, Miss Banks, C. H. Hopkins, N. Kohn, Mrs. Gleny, Mrs. Hopkins, Miss B. Breslauer, Mr. Dorn, Miss R. Breslauer, Miss G. Breslauer, Mr. Howell, Mrs. A. B. Thaw, Dr. Park, Dr. Thaw, Gen. J. W. Forsyth, Maj. A. E. Bates, Mrs. C. E. Bompas, Lieut. Bell, Mrs. Bell, Lieut. Landis, Mrs. C. G. Treat, Mrs. Wallace, W. F. Newell, Mrs. W. F. Newell, S. H. Martin, Mrs. S. H. Martin, F. M. Whitney, Miss Nickerson, Lieut. Stoney, Mrs. Stoney, A. Garland, Lieut. Samson, C. H. Mower, Mrs. C. H. Mower, C. E. Lord, Miss Beryl Lord, Dr. C. B. Bates, Mrs. C. B. Bates, Miss Hope-Doeg, S. Stanwood, L. G. Dreyfus, Mrs. L. G. Dreyfus, J. P. Lawton, Mrs. J. P. Lawton, Capt. Cotton, J. T. Richards, H. Lincoln, Mrs. H. Lincoln, Miss A. Gaty, Lieut. Shoemaker, Dr. Lyon, Miss Mayberry, Miss Jacks, Mr. and Mrs. Balch, Mrs. Hickman, Miss Guthrie, Dr. Otto, Mrs. Otto, Mrs. Dr. McKinley, Miss More, W. A. Hawley, Miss Hawley, Dr. Hessler, E. Thayer, Mrs. E. Thayer, Mr. Bliss, Miss Cudahy, Miss Lettie Yonge, Fred Wright, C. C. Newman, Mrs. C. C. Newman, Rev. W. Edmondson, Mrs. Edmondson, Mr. Thacher, Miss Blake, Miss Paula Wright, W. E. Noble, Miss Noble, John F. Diehl, Mrs. Diehl, E. R. Head, Lieut. Phelps, Mr. Burbeck, Lieut. Scott, Lieut. Ryan, Lieut. Dubois, H. F. Maguire, Mrs. Maguire, Mrs. Van Horn, Mrs. Lack, Dr. Stambach, Mrs. Stambach, C. H. Frink, Mrs. Frink, Mrs. J. C. Hassinger, J. C. Hassinger, Miss James, Gen. Churchill, Miss Pratt, Dr. Lees, Mrs. Lees, E. Pearce, Mrs. Hope-Doeg, Dr. Belle Reynolds, W. Eddy, Mrs. Eddy, Miss Eddy, Mr. Felton, Mrs. Felton, W. S. Day, Mrs. W. S. Day, Mrs. Henry Spencer, Mrs. J. L. Doulton, Miss Doulton, Mrs. J. L. Truslow, Miss Carrie Truslow, Mr. Sheffield, Mrs. Sheffield, Mrs. Niles, Mr. Knight, Mrs. Knight, Miss Bell, Miss Everhart, Mrs. Delaney, Miss Constance Delaney, Miss Smith, E. H. Thompson, Mrs. Thompson, N. E. Brownsill, Miss J. F. Hunt, Dr. White, Mrs. White, C. C. Knight, Miss E. Knight, C. A. Noble, Miss C. Patterson, O. B. Hinsdale, Miss E. Nixon, Mr. Corbett, Miss M. Nixon, E. J. Knipp, Mrs. Knapp, H. C. Thompson, Mrs. Thompson.

DANCING PROGRAMME.

The dancing programme was a dainty souvenir, hand-painted after the Beardsley school. On the cover was the bust of a fair maiden, who was surrounded with magnificent roses, emblematic of Santa Barbara's richest production. As a background there were palms showing tropical nature of the clime of this section. Three colors beautified the cover. The dance music was especially prepared for this occasion by Prof. Schuy. The Philharmonic Society Orchestra furnished the music, led by the professor mentioned. The order of dances was as follows:

March, "Grand Republic" (Hopfmuller; lancers, "Court Life" (Faust;) waltz, "Day Dreams" (Godfrey; polka, "Daisy" (Tobani;) waltz, "Fata-Morgana" (Beyer;) lancers, "Always Jolly" (Herrman;) two-step, "The Smart Set" (Tracy;) waltz, "Southern Roses" (Strauss;) polka, "Naughty Boy" (Moses;) schottische, "Dinah, Will You Come?" (Casey;) waltz, "Lagunen" (Strauss;) polka, "La Ballarina" (Farbach;) two-step, "Little Princess" (Albert;) waltz, "The Rainbow" (Waldteufel;) schottische, caprice, "Flirtation" (Guarde.)

Dancing was continued until after 2 o'clock, so loth were the dancers to leave so enjoyable a scene.

It is to be regretted that the fancy dress part of the ball was not fully carried out. There were from four to six ladies and gentlemen in fancy dress, but the number was lost in the multitude of those who came only in evening dress.

Santa Barbara's Flower Festival is fast becoming a thing that was. Decorations are disappearing from the stores and workmen are removing the arches and palms that have adorned the streets. The visitors are not so numerous on the streets and soon the Channel City will assume its usual quiet business aspect, freed from the bustle and excitement that has marked it for this week.

The elements worked to interfere with the full success of the flower show. Santa Barbara seemed fretful and pettish. The wind moaned and whistled and hurled volumes of dust to the disadvantage of the floral parade and the disgust of visitors and residents. Those from abroad have formed a bad opinion of Santa Barbara's climate, which they should not do from the unpleasant weather that preaviled the past few days. One might as well put down a child as incorrigible for one single bad act. Santa Barbara has a fine climate, as can be evidenced by the many thousands that have visited here throughout the year, and who have witnessed the Flower Festival of the past years. As one swallow does not make a spring so one bay day does not mean always unpleasant climate. Santa Barbarenyos still yield to no place the palm for more excellent climate.

(Phoenix, Ariz., S. W. Stockman:) The fruit season of the great Salt River Valley has commenced, and from now on till Christmas there will be a great abundance of all kinds of fruit on the market. There is no cessation in the supply when once started. Opening with strawberries, it goes on to apricots, and then peaches—which will be ripening constantly till late in the fall. Then all summer long will come the different varieties in their seasons of ripening. The shipper will soon begin operations and our fruit crop will be distributed all over the United States. The amount shipped increases every year, and in this order the shipments this year will exceed those of any previous season.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

TOMMY ATKINS'S HEART IS GLAD.

He Hopes to Cope with Africans.

The Matabele War Engaging Britishers' Attention.

Gratification at the Showing Against Dervishes.

Small Talk from the Inner Circles and the Outside—Our New American Duchess Winning Her Way—Amusements.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

LONDON, April 18.—(By Atlantic Cable. Associated Press Copyrgiht, 1896.) The latest advices received from Buluwayo, Matabeleland, prove beyond any doubt that the town is in a most critical situation. It is surrounded in part by a large force of hostile Matabeles, estimated to number from 15,000 to 18,000; the garrison is not believed to number 1000 men all told, and over one-third of them are either foraging, holding strategic positions, scouting, or trying to keep the roads clear for the provisions and ammunition trains which are on the way to relieve Buluwayo. Besides, it is reported that a large portion of the remainder of the garrison left Buluwayo yesterday to attack the Imbezu Regiment of Matabeles.

The announcement made in the House of Commons yesterday by Chamberlain that the government intended to immediately strengthen the garrison in South Africa has caused great satisfaction here. The Middlesex Regiment, the first one ordered to sail, has been especially chosen, as it fought at the Cape in 1879. There was great elation at Aldershot camp when the orders to prepare to embark for South Africa reached the Middlesex Regiment. The soldiers gathered together and cheered repeatedly for the Queen and the country.

It is more than hinted that the present increase is only the first installment of a large reinforcement of troops which are to be sent to the Cape. The Conservative newspapers are suddenly alive to the fact that the Cape of Good Hope is of vital importance to Great Britain, as being a sort of half-way house to India, a most healthy station, etc., and they loudly demand that it be converted into a military base on a large scale. But what is really meant is that Great Britain should prepare for war with the Transvaal without loss of time. The defeats of the dervishes outside of Suakim and around Tokar have drawn attention to the fact that troops from India will shortly have to be landed there, if the campaign against the Khalifa is to be properly conducted, and the Soudan reconquered. The friendly tribes in the vicinity of Suakim and Tokar are constantly harassing the dervishes, and are keeping the latter continually on the move, while avoiding any serious engagements. The scouts report that Osman Digna has retreated to Adarama, and the friendly chief, Omantita, has reoccupied the Agoa district. It is expected the news of the defeats of the dervishes will soon reach the Nile, and have a salutary effect in the Dongola district.

There is much gratification in England at the splendid showing made by the Egyptian troops under British officers, and they are said to be becoming strong enough to be pitted against the dervishes with every chance of victory. Indeed, according to many of the war correspondents, the Fellaheen now appear to be equal to the Soudanese as soldiers. The recent defeat of the dervishes has also had the important result of compelling Osman Digna to evacuate positions around Tokar, from which he has made forays upon the friendly tribes, and it has apparently caused a diversion in the Dongola district, where the dervishes have already missed the first opportunity of harassing the Anglo-Egyptian advance guard. The line of communication between Askasheh and Wady Halfa is now secure, and is patrolled on all sides by friendly chiefs. A small party of dervishes fired into the camp at Askasheh yesterday evening and vanished in the night immediately afterward.

Some of Great Britain's largest guns will be employed for the first time during the autumn campaign in the Soudan. They carry highly-explosive shells ten miles, and each shell is capable of disabling two hundred of the enemy. These guns have such a rapid-fire capacity that before the first shell bursts three others are on their way in the same direction. The government shell foundry has been overwhelmed with orders for the manufacture of projectiles, and private contracts for 10,000,000 shells have been given out.

The Chronicle publishes an interesting letter from Rome, in which it is stated that the Pope still governs his great household with order and diligence, though there are stories of the occasional failure of his physical power. But neither his diplomacy nor ecclesiastical policy have lost their old keenness of perception. Referring to the Pope's pro-French diplomacy, the correspondent remarks that he does not believe that there is a question of a pope ever making his headquarters at Avignon, though "at an undated future, there might be a pope at Baltimore," the correspondent asserts. His Holiness, it appears, is now absorbed in the idea of a reunion of the Roman and Anglican church.

There have been 201 fresh cases of smallpox at Gloucester, making a total of 1302 since the epidemic broke out, on account of the anti-vaccination ideas, since dispelled, of the inhabitants of that place.

The alleged terms of the secret treaty between Russia and China were reprinted here today from a German paper, and have created a bad impression, though it is evident that the statements made are not wholly true. According to the story, China permits Russia in war time to use any of her ports to mobilize, repair and coal her warships and to raise supplies in China. The latter also allows Russia to use Port Arthur, Kiangshu or any port on the Kiangshu or Che-kiang as a naval or military base.

Other startling provisions include a branch line of the Siberian Railroad to Talien-Wan, controlled co-jointly for fifteen years by Russia and China. Then the latter, if capable, takes charge of the railroad and there is a virtual cession to Russia of an island opposite Talien-Wan and several points on the south side, as a protection to the Siberian Railroad; the opening of the Chinese markets to Russian goods and Russia to send several hundred officers to drill 100,000 Chinese troops.

The Globe this afternoon says: "If one-tenth of the foregoing is true, there is no doubt that the far eastern question is about to assume a far graver aspect than ever. Hitherto there has been no doubt of the existence of a secret treaty. Until the conoration of the Czar is over, it is not likely that Russia will do anything openly provocative; but afterward it is probable that she will boldly show her hand, and we shall be confronted wit hthe most difficult problem for a long time past."

The Pope wil bestow the golden rose upon Princess Marie Louise of Bulgaria as a token of the approval of His Holiness of her opposition of the conversion of her son, Prince Boris, to the Greek church.

Further information has reached here from Johannesburg, showing that the South African Republic is making extensive military preparations, and the news has been confirmed from several parts of the Transvaal. A dispatch to the Times from Johannesburg says: "There is much disgust here at Sir Hercules Robinson (Governor of Cape Colony,) opposing the sending of British troops to South Africa. He is accused of subservience to President Kruger ,and there are loud demands that Mr. Chamberlain end the matter. The Boers already six times outnumber the British."

AMONG THE NOTABLES.

LONDON, April 18.—(By Atlantic Cable. Associated Press. Copyright, 1896.) When the Prince of Wales arrived in London from the South of France on Monday only the Duke of York was here to welcome him, and, after a night in this city, he went to Newmarket, where he occupied rooms at the Jockey Club.

The Princess of Wales and her daughters was at Sandringham, and on the day of the Prince's arrival from France they all attended the annual steeplechase given by the Norfolk Hunt. This recalls the fact that when the Princess of Wales and her daughters on October 25 returned to London from Copenhagen, where they had been visiting the parents of the Princess, the King and Queen of Denmark, they found only a few court functionaries at the railroad station to meet them.

The Prince of Wales was attending the race meeting and apparenely could not find time to leave that place for a few hours in order to meet his family. The Princess of Wales seems to have felt her husband's neglect most keenly, and to have taken the first opportunity to give him a dose of his own medicine, not that it is expected by any means to cure His Royal Highness. The way Richard Crocker's horses are being backed for the Jubilee stakes and the Derby is upsetting all calculations, but no one seriously beleves that Montauk has any chance of anging the Derby stakes, which event will be decided on Wednesday, June 3.

There was some alarm in the Tower of London a few nights ago, it is reported, by the rumor that a plot to steal the crown jewels had been discovered. In any case, whether the report be founded on fact or not, it seems there is no doubt that unusual precautions are being taken to guard the regalia.

The boom in bicycles is spreading into the strangest corners of the earth. The latest far-away orders were received from the Ameer of Afghanistan, who has sent for a lot of English riding machines for the use of the ladies of his harem. If the costum spreads in other eastern harems there will be some difficulty here in meeting the demand, and some of these newly-opened-up trades should find its way into American hands.

Since the home-coming of the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, Blenheim has only witnessed one public festivity, the reception by the Duke and Duchess this week of a deputation from the tenants, who called to present the young couple with their wedding gifts. According to the newspapers, the bride won all hearts by the pretty way in which she thanked the members of the deputation, saying that she intended to call upon all the tenants.

A curios feature of the remarkably prosperous budget statement made by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, in the House of Commons yesterday, is that the greater part of the increase in the importation of wines is due to the "gambling" on the stock exchange, where the speculators, whether successful or otherwise, consoled or congratulated themselves in the same way. Thus it is estimated that 1,200,000 extra bottle of wine were consumed in this cause.

The increase in the consumption of beer, which also materially helped to swell the British budget, is accounted for the mildness of the winter, which stimulated thirst. tI appears that 33,000,000 barrels of beer were brewed during the year, an increase of 1,500,000 over the previous year.

The interest of Russia in Abyssinia is arousing the curiosity of Europe, and there is a great deal of ironical comment here regarding the alleged Russian Red Cross expedition, fitted out by popular subscription, to proceed to Massowah and thence inland to attend the wounded Abyssinians. The present Russian expedition recalls the former so-called scientific and religious missions which have resulted in welding political links. The present expedition is led by Gen. Shevdoff, who has as his assistants, Capt. Swejagin, the Russian explorer of Abyssinia; Lieut. Kochovski, a skilled engineer officer; six assistant surgeons, sixty attendants, one paymaster and three interpreters. But it is more than suspected that the surgeons and their assistants know much more about killing men than they do about healing wounds, and evidence is accumulating in many directions, showing that both Russia and France have been smuggling arms and ammunition into Abyssinia, and possibly even into the Soudan, and the agents of these countries are beginning the work of organizing the tribes against the Italians and British.

The annual influx of Americans has already begun, and the hotels most patronized by them are, in many instances, crowded. Everything points to the most crowded and fashionable season that the metropolis has known for years.

Lady Edith Curzon, youngest daughter of the Earl and Countess Howe, will be united today to Mr. Franklin, Lay de Traffor's brother. On April 28. Lay Evelyn Curzon, elder sister of Lady Edith, will be married to J. Eyre. Both of these events will be solemnized at St. George's, Hanover Square.

W. P. Frith, who is now 77 years of age, and who lives in comparative retirement at his villa, Ashenhurt, Sydenhab, near the Crystal Palace, will send to this year's academy a picture entitled "Julia and the Nurse."

Lady Jeune, assisted by Miss Marie Corelli, has undertaken the management of and direction of distinguished patronesses for a grand costume ball in aid of the Highland Mary statue fund, to take place in the galleries of the Institute of Painters in Water-colors on the night of May 21. The fund is being raised for the purpose of placing a large statue of Highland Mary at Dunoon, and it will be unveiled on July 1, the hundredth anniversary of the death of Robert Burns.

The theaters have been doing a good business since Easter Monday. The news plays which were then produced were uniformly doing well. This is true of "The Sin of Saint Hulda" at the Shaftesbury; "A Mother of Three," at the Comedy; "The Gay Parisienne," at Lyric, and "Diarrith," the musical farce written by Arthur Roberts, at the Prince of Wales.

The new Japanese play will be produced at Daly's tonight. The play has been in active rehearsal for the past three weeks. "The Artist's Model," which, up to the closing night of its fourteenth months' run, drew crowded houses at Daly's, is being presented at Islington. Horace Lingard, at one time a great favorite in America, is dangerously ill at his residence at Chertsey. Rehearsals of "King Henry IV" are now so far advanced that Beerbohm Tree expects to produce it at matinée performances next week. In this play Mr. Tree promises an entirely different reading of the character of Falstaff from that in which he was in "The Merry Wives of Windsor."

ARM IN ELBOW DEEP

Liberal Appropriations Do not Prevent Hermann's Defeat.

Fraudulent Dutch Estate Agents Working California.

Hope of Securing Foreign Fortunes a Delusion—No Millions Waiting Distribution in Holland. Postoffice Roof.

(CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.)

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The defeat of Hermann of Oregon for renomination has created a great deal of comment here, all of which is very unfavorable to the people of his district. As one member said, "Hermann's arm has been in the treasury, elbow-deep, ever since he first came to Washington." One thing is certain, no western member has ever secured so liberal a share of appropriations, and even if his successor, of whom nothing is known here, should display the ability of Webster or Clay, it will take him several terms to be as efficient as Hermann is now.

The West has always complained, and very justly, that it did not receive the recognition at Washington it is entitled to, but the fact is due to the constant change of Representatives. Hermann had twelve years' service, which is a remarkable record for a western member. Oregon's other Representative, Ellis, is on his second term. Of the California delegation, Hilborn, McLachlan, Johnson and Barham are on their first terms, and McGuire on his second. In Colorado, Shafroth is serving his first term, and Bell his second. Washington has Doolittle on his second term, and Hyde, on his first. Compare this with the New England States, and a great deal of light will be thrown upon the discrimination against the West. Maine has Speaker Reed, with twenty years' service in the House, Nelson Dingley, with fourteen years; Seth L. Milliken with fourteen years; Charles Addison Boutelle, with fourteen years. Vermont has H. Henry Powers, with six years, and William W. Grout, with fourteen years. Massachusetts has thirteen members, Simpkins on his first term, Morse eight years, Draper four years, Atwood first term, Fitzgerald first term, McCall two terms, Barrett first term, Moody first term, Knox first term, Apsley two terms, Walker eight years, Gillett two terms, Wright two terms. And Massachusetts is openly accused of weakening its delegation by making too many changes at the last two elections, because entirely too many Representatives are on their first two terms. For the first two years a Congressman is of very little benefit to his constituents or himself, no matter what his abilities may be.

At the present session there is scarcely a creek in Oregon that could by any stretch of fancy be termed a river that did not receive some kind of appropriation from the Rivers and Harbors Committee. While Hermann was turned down by Reed as chairman, although the ranking member of the Rivers and Harbors Committee, he wielded greater influence there than any other member, even than the chairman.

California seems to be the present working ground of the fraudulent Dutch estate agents, and hundreds of letters are being received from the Pacific Coast concerning these swindlers. The singular part of it is that the majority of people cling tenaciously to the idea that they are heirs to vast estates in Holland, and decline to believe they are being victimized.

Consul Edward Dounes, at Amsterdam, sends a report to the State Department saying, "I most respectfully request that our countrymen be warned against the perfect folly of spending time or money toward the collection of what are known as 'the old Dutch estates.' This fever is prevailing in the United States and Canada.

"For the past three months inquiries on this subject at this consulate are so numerous as to almost baffle replies, and threaten to interfere seriously with the regular business of the office. The 'Anneke Jans estate,' the 'Cronkheit,' or 'Cronckheit,' or 'Kronkheit,' the 'Van Cott,' the 'Dussen,' the 'Mezzer,' the 'Weber,' and the 'Brandt' estates are some of the fairy titles supposed to represent millions, but actually representing nothing.

"These estates do not exist. They are myths, will-o'-wisp jokes. Neither does the Bank of Holland, in which the unclaimed millions are alleged to be deposited, exist. Careful investigation induces the belief that these estates originated in the brain of some rascally speculator, who, imposing on human credulity, found many victims and fleeced them most profitably.

"If these estates ever had a bona fide existence then they come clearly within the provisions of the statute of limitations passed by the Dutch Parliament in 1852, by which all unclaimed inheritances irrevocably escheated after a lapse of five years, to the state. Every dollar spent in reference to these estates is so much money wasted."

The State Department here is now receiving hundreds of letters concerning these estates, and a circular has been prepared to mail in reply.

Supervising Architect Aiken feels very sore over the fate of the wooden roof for the new postoffice building, which he still maintains is much to be preferred. He has been ordered by Congress to take it off. The roof is a favorite of his. He has had the same plan used with distinguished success on a number of residences in Cincinnati and it was very popular for the country homes down in South Carolina, where the Aiken family is one of the most aristocratic. Why a roof that is admired by one of the Aikens on his residence will not do for Uncle Sam's postoffice is inexplicable to the Supervising Architect. Mr. Aiken's plans have been interfered with ever since he entered office and the department is to blame for his failing to give satisfaction. He has always been the architect of residences, and the only public building with which he was familiar was the Cincinnati Postoffice, which he was informed was so badly constructed that the mails were often flooded during storms. He therefore naturally wanted to study the most approved styles of government buildings carefully before entering upon any extended labors in drawing new plans. For this reason he started for Alaska in order to familiarize himself with the complicated structures there, and imbibe ideas of art from the totem poles and utility from the classic Eskimo. When he reached San Francisco the Secretary of the Treasury called him back to Washington to proceed with the postoffice here, without giving him an opportunity to study the one in Sitka. It is therefore natural that he should make mistakes by reason of this interference with his studies. Senator Pettigrew called the whole structure an "eye sore," which was cruel, as Mr. Aiken can find nothing in any of the advertising matter relative to South Dakota, superior to it. In the Senator's home town of Sioux Falls, the postoffice is no better than this one and not nearly so large. But the edict has gone forth and the wooden roof over the massive pile of stone must come down, and the Supervising Architect's fine artistic sense must suffer. But he can put his plan into execution upon the first cottage he builds after his term of office expires.

FRANK L. WELLES.

MILK WAGON AND WHEELMEN.

F. C. Erdman Seriously Injured in a Collision.

One of the milk wagons which dash like mad along the city streets at night last night ran down F. C. Erdmann and inflicted injuries which may prove fatal.

Erdmann is aman of 23 years. He lives with his wife at No. 903 San Pedro street. Erdmann is a clerk in Ralphs Bros.' grocery. At present Mrs. Erdmann is visiting her father, W. W. Scott, on his ranch near Anaheim.

At 12 o'clock last night Erdmann was riding toward home on his bicycle. He went east on Ninth street, riding down the right hand side of the street. As Erdmann reached Maple avenue, a milk wagon came north along that street. The corner is very dark, as the nearest electric light is sevreal blocks away. The milk wagon crashed right into the unfortunate wheelman. One of the shafts ran through his right arm, tearing loose the muscles and injuring the man's side. The milkman drove right on, never stopping to see how much harm had been wrought by the collision.

About two minutes later D. C. Edmunds of No. 834 San Pedro street, came along on his bicycle, and found Erdmann lying on the ground, terribly injured. The unfortunate man was carried into a house near by and surgeons called. Erdmann's condition was found to be very serious, but it was impossible to notify his wife in any way.

Erdmann has for a long time been foreman of engine company No. 8.

ADVENTIST CONFERENCE.

A Gathering of Believers in Christ's Second Coming.

The Advent Christian Conference of Southern California is in progress at the Adventist Church on the East Side, on Truman street, between Pasadena avenue and Downey avenue. There are representatives present from the Adventist churches in Colton, Pomona, Pasadena, Tustin and other places. The ministers of these churches are present, and also Elders I. N. Archibald, L. A. Wilkerson, T. H. Orgem, M. McFadyen, Sister Clark and others. The main topics under discussion have been "The Coming of the Lord" and "Holiness of Life."

During the past year two new churches have been built by the Southern California Conference, one in Los Angeles and one in Colton.

During the conference there has been preaching every day at 11 a.m. and 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. There will be preaching at the same hours today. At 4 o'clock each afternoon is the young people's meeting—the Loyal Workers.

There was a business session of the conference yesterday, beginning at 8:30 p.m. Money was raised to aid the denominational paper, The Messiah's Advocate. A motion was adopted to have the papers read during the conference printed in the Advocate.

Elder Willard R. Chandler preached on the subject of "Holiness." His excellent sermon inculcated the principle that the Holy Spirit would make the life holy and be a power to overcome the evil propensities of poor human nature.

Yesterday afternoon was taken up by the proceedings of the Loyal Workers' Union. The young people read a number of interesting papers. Mr. Watson of Colton rendered a vocal solo. Elder I. N. Archibald preached the sermon of the afternoon. He urged the young people to take Christ into their lives above all other things. He told the girls that one could look beautiful, in the eyes of Jesus, even if one's hat was plain. He told the young men not to neglect the prayer-meeting for business. His text was "Lovest Thou Me More Than These?"

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

SATURDAY, April 18, 1896.

(Figures in parentheses, unless otherwise stated, give volume and page of miscellaneous records containing recorded maps.)

Elizabeth A Mills to Johnson & Keeney Company, part lot 161, Westlake Park tract (15-12,) $100.

Jay B Mullen et ux to Mary E Andrews, lot 7, block 7, Park tract (7-26,) $650.

J L McLain to Lemuel D McLain, all interest in estate of Thomas McLain, deceased, $100.

George H Peck, Jr, et ux to E B Haines, lot 15, Peck's subdivision block 36, San Pedro (18-30,) $250.

L G Cooker et ux to A J Vaughn, NE¼ lot 2, block G, Phillips's addition, Pomona (17-9,) $3000.

Joseph Sartori et ux to J R Cutting, lots 30 to 35 and S½ lot 36, M P and R addition, Monrovia (21-95,) $1600.

James Clarke et ux to Lillie M Jacobs, lots 21 and 23, block 115, Long Beach (19-91,) $500.

G A Cortelyou et ux to R S Dyas, lot 27, block J, Ela View tract, $100.

G A Cortelyou to E D Silent et al, lot 28, block J, Ela View tract, $100.

Samuel Finbow to Thomas Nelmus, lot 7 and E½ lot 6, block 16 (7-86,) $20.

Ella Burns et con to William Paul, lot 24, block 11, Wolfskill Orchard tract (30-3,) $1400.

B O Kendall et ux to Solomon Coldren, 280.3x150 feet, SW corner Montana street and Pasadena avenue, Pasadena, $4680.

Edgar B Owens et al to Harvey C Smith, N½ NW¼ sec 36, T 1 N, R 10 W, except east 8 acres, $6600.

Lida Gage to George D Chaffee, lot 7, block E, Garvanza Land Company's subdivision (10-90,) $90.

William Wills to Ella Svanson, lot 336, Alex Weill tract (26-85,) $325.

Mary A Shaw to Theo S Shaw, ½ interest lot 92, Shafer & Lanterman's resubdivision Dimmick tract, N½ sec 7, block 2, Hancock's survey (7-51,) $1171.

W P Gibson et ux to Fred Mohle et al, lot 8, block Y, Monrovia, $800.

C M Elliott et al to Wellington C Burke, above property, $100.

O H Cougar et al to H G C Gordan et ux, lot 18, Cougar Home tract (14-52;) lots 79 and 80, Cougar Home tract (7-74,) $2500.

R H Chapman to George W Sibley, lot 7, block 8, Downey, Griffin & Johnstone tract (3-194,) $700.

Charles Kohler, Jr, to Fred Stecker, E½ W½ SW¼ NE¼ sec 14, T 1 S, R 14 W, $5000.

Emma J Beatty et con to Fred J Austen et ux, part lot 10, W part Lick tract (7-92,) $3200.

Randolph W Hill to Frank Marcovina, lots 11 and 12, Hills & Jourdans subdivision block 11, $400.

Agnes Moore et con to Harriet E Aldrich, SE¼ sec 12, T 3 N, R 17 W, $1500.

Jennie D Lane to George C Cross, lot 5, block 7, Long Beach (19-91), $100.

W W Murray et ux to P B Mathiason, lot 14, block B, replat Thomas & Watkins's subdivision Bennett tract (18-38), $900.

Charles R Thompson to C N Wilson, lots 2, 3, and 4, block 17, and ½ interest lots 1, 9 and 10, block 17; also ½ interest lots 29 to 32, block 13; also ½ interest in lots 23 to 26, block 15, San Fernando, $42.50.

H J Robinson et ux to John F Martin, lot 31, block 3, East Claremont (80-28), $30.

Regina Weinshenk to San Pedro Lumber Company, part lot 12, Weinshenk tract (54-93), $569.25.

A G Strain to Lucy Hayden, lot 34, South Side tract (15-10), $610.

Melvin Paxton et ux to Marshall McCollum, lot 8, Jenkins tract (10-57), $3200.

SUMMARY:

Deeds	56
Nominal	25
Total	$41,512.75

Ran Away to La Mirada.

Lonnie Gautt went forth in search of adventure Friday and by so doing caused his parents a great deal of trouble and worry. Lonnie is a ten-year-old pickaninny. His father, James Gautt, is a laborer, and his mother, Mrs. Mattie Gautt, a neat and trim little washerwoman. The family lives at No. 51v East Eighth street. Friday morning Lonnie's mother threatened to whip him. Lonny felt wronged, injured, imposed upon, So he ran away from home, and the next heard from him was when his mother received a telegram from La Miranda, the millionaires' colony in Orange county, that Lonnie was enjoying life there. The telegram directed Mrs. Gautt to meet the 5:20 o'clock train. When she received the telegram the train had already arrived, so all she could do was to wait and see if Lonnie would come home. The anxious parents called at the Police Station at 9 o'clock, saying the boy had not yet appeared.

Firemen Crushed to Death.

PHILADELPHIA, April 18.—Two firemen were crushed to death and several others seriously injured as the result of a fire which destroyed the old depot of the Pennsylvania road at Thirty-second and Market streets this afternoon, and entailed a loss of about $200,000. The killed were Hugh McGranagan and William H. Staigert.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

FIELD-DAY SPORTS UNDER THE AUSPICES OF FIRE LADDIES.

Heroic Rescue of a Boatload of People—Election Returns Canvassed—A Hot Scrimmage in Court.

SANTA BARBARA, April 18.—(Regular Correspondence.) The field-day sports, under the auspices of Santa Barbara's fire laddies, were not concluded until a late hour on Friday. The interest in the events was maintained to the last, the crowd braving the dust and wind to the running-off of the last event.

J. B. McNab of Riversie was too much for J. F. Kelsey of Ventura, in the running high jump, capturing the event by a jump of 5ft. 6in. These were the only contestants.

McNab was also victorious in the running broad jump, defeating his only contestant, Edinger of Riverside, by a jump of 18ft. 4in.

There were five that participated in the five-mile bicycle handicap for amateurs, as follows: Myron Hill, M. A. Casenave and A. Wade. The race was won by Hill, followed by Casenave and Wade, who were respectively second and third; time 14:41½.

Once more the Santa Barbarenos had the pleasure of shouting themselves hoarse over the victory of their champion sprinter, Fayette Birtch, who captured the 120-yard hurdle in the time of 16:00½.

Vincent D. Lousley was the winner of the one-mile walk, taking the race in 8:44. George P. Dennis and James D. Lousley were respectively first and second.

A Berkeley boy ran away with the prize for the one-mile run in the poor time of 6:32. Elliott represented Berkeley. Gandolfo of Ventura was second, and Penry of Santa Barbara, third.

This meet has been the most successful ever held in Santa Barbara, and much of this success is due to the indefatigable efforts of Clarence C. Kelton.

A HEROIC DEED.

Friday afternoon a party of men, women and children put out from shore in a small sail-boat for the object of visiting the man-of-war Philadelphia, which lay nearly a mile from the beach. At the time they sailed a very high wind prevailed and it seemed like tempting fate. The boat had sailed but a short distance when persons standing on Stearns' dock saw that the occupants of the boat had lost control of it, and that it was drifting fast to sea and in the direction of Ventura.

The occupants of the boat, to give information of their distressed condition, ran a white flag to the mast head. Those who saw the signal felt that it would be risking life to go to their aid, and for a time no effort was made for their succor. At last Sebastian Larco saw that something must be done, and he told his brother, Ogenio Larco, that he must take their sloop and go out to the distressed passengers. Quick as possible the Larco sloop was made ready and Ogenio was scudding away to save life before a stiff breeze.

Ogenio is a fine sailor, and the task before him called into use all the nautical skill which he possessed. But true to his training as a seaman, he mastered the obstacles that Neptune sought to throw around him, and ere long came up alongside of the storm-driven and anxious people. Soon he had them all transferred to his sloop. The storm was of such violence that it was impossible to come about and make for home, so he was compelled to beat along the coast until the wind died down. After the shades of night had darkened the shore Ogenio was enabled to come in and land his passengers, who had no words to fittingly thank their preserver. They offered to pay him for the heroic deed which he had performed, but like a true hero he refused any reward for doing his duty.

The Larcos are known throughout this entire city as the finest fishermen that live along the shore. Their fish nets bring daily to market all the finny tribe that supply this market.

The officials of the Philadelphia were ready to send out their steam launch when they saw Larco sail to the rescue.

ELECTION RETURNS CANVASSED.

The Council met on Thursday last and canvassed the vote cast at the election held on April 6. Few changes were made, none that in any way affected the result. Higgins, candidate for Assessor, increased his vote 90; and F. J. Maguire, candidate for the Council from the Third Ward, made some gains, not enough, however, to overcome the big majority of Lataillade. On Thursday, the 23d, the new Council will be inducted into office. It is understood that the new Councilmen have caucused on the question of the retention and dismissal of the present incumbents of the appointive offices, but have not dropped a hint whether they will decapitate those now in. The appointive offices are: City Clerk, City Attorney, City Treasurer, Street Superintendent, and a few minor officials. A number of candidates are in the field for all these positions, and each day a new Richmond enters the field.

A SCRIMMAGE IN COURT.

This afternoon the case against R. N. Watson for embezzling moneys of the Southern Milling Company, was heard in Judge Crane's court. During the progress of the hearing Attorney Thomas, one of the attorneys of the defendant, asked the prosecuting witness, W. M. Gregg, if he did not promise Watson immunity from prosecution if he would turn over his property. Gregg answered no, when Watson jumped to his feet screaming out at the same time, "You're a liar!" Watson picked up a book lying on a table and hurled it at Gregg making a violent attempt to reach the plaintiff's witness.

The defendant became so violent that it took three men to hold him. This incident induced the Judge to adjourn the hearing until Monday.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

The U.S.S. Philadelphia will depart on Sunday for Port Los Angeles to be in time to enable the jolly tars of the ship to participate in La Fiesta.

There will be a large delegation from here to visit Los Angeles next week.

On Thursday night, J. F. Douglass burglarized the store of H. A. C. McPhail. When arrested, there was found on his person four razors and a 38-caliber pistol. He has not yet had a hearing.

A drunken sailor from the U.S.S. Philadelphia made a merry time of it this morning about 5 o'clock in the Heath building, corner of State and Ortega. He broke a large window in one of the doors of the rooms, and swore and cursed around to beat any London fishmonger. After breaking the window he disappeared.

Dropped Shot.

Henry McGary and Martin Kahn went to the Orpheum last night. The two boys thought the performance rather slow, so they amused themselves by dropping shot on the heads of the people downstairs. Officer Reynolds interrupted them in this innocent pastime b yarresting them both for disturbing the peace. Kahn put up $10 bail, but McGary spent the night in jail.

Lino Nava, ex-postmaster of the City of Mexico, died last week in the Mexican Hospital.

Beware of Fakirs.

You will notice how a certain specialist calls on the public to beware of poisonous gases. You look out for the deadly cocaine spray treatment, and false testimonials and to get you into his office and then separate you from your $5. No Dr. Copeland treatment used at the Botanic Medical Institute. Men with minds that can originate and not imitate. Look out for the fellow who calls "stop thief!" Look out for the Acid Blood Purifier. Look into the physician's standing before paying out your money. Experience is necessary to effect cures. What experience has the fakir? Ask him. He is honest! He may tell you. The Botanic Medical Institute does not fill your lungs with poisonous gases like the fakir. These physicians are not that hard up for money. The physicians of the Botanic Medical Institute give you expert medical attention. Look out for the fakir cocaine, and poisonous gases. Botanic Medical Institute, parlors 12, 13, 14, 15, 22, Gordon Block, 206½ South Broadway. Free treatment to all who apply this week.

H. C. Ross, late partner and business manager of the Dr. A. J. Shores Co., has sold his interest in that firm and will not be responsible for any future arrangements made by said company.

H. C. ROSS.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 18, 1896.

SALT LAKE RAILWAY.

Possibility that it May Be Realized.

SAN DIEGO, April 16.—(Special Correspondence.) David S. Murray of Salt Lake, nephew of Gen. Eli H. Murray, arrived here on Wednesday. He says that the intention of Utah people to build a railroad to Southern California is believed to be certain of realization by the business men of Salt Lake. About sixty days ago George Q. Cannon, president of the Utah Company, sent out invitations to 100 leading men of Salt Lake to met him. Mr. Cannon outlined the aim of the company to build a road from Utah to connect with the Los Angeles Terminal road and asked the city to grant his company about ten acres of inside city land for a Salt Lake terminal. The Council has granted the land on certain conditions, one of which is that 100 miles of the proposed road to Southern California shall be completed and in operation within two years. In all probability the road will be pushed forward, from a point at or near Frisco, the present terminal of the Union Pacific in Southwestern Utah. Mr. Cannon announced that the financial arrangements had been completed for the successful culmination of the enterprise. The immediate handling of this railroad project is intrusted to the Utah Improvement Company, a branch of the Utah Company, under the presidency of Abram Cannon, a son of George Q. Cannon. The parent company has a capital of $10,000,000, and in it are a number of heavy eastern capitalists.

MAJ.-GEN. JONES.

Identification of the Remains of a Suicide Off Yonkers.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

NEW YORK, April 18.—The Herald this morning published a detailed story giving an account of the identification of the remains of a suicide in the Hudson River off Yonkers. According to the Herald the facts concerning the suicide were concealed by the man's friends at the time of his death. In connection with the case the Herald says:

"Mr. Jones, as he was declared to be by the Coroner and the police, was Maj.-Gen. Blackburn Jones, and was a commander during the civil war and subsequently a lawyer in St. Louis, Chicago and this city. Gen. Jones was in command of the Sixty-sixth Regiment, United States colored troops, and was mustered out with the brevet rank of major-general of volunteers. He received several wounds in battle and was awarded a pension which he had made arrangements to collect through William Harring of this city, at the time of his suicide.

"Gen. Jones stopped the practice of law about three years ago and accepted the proposition of several mining companies to become their confidential agent in Europe. He arranged to float their bonds and stocks in foreign markets. He had a wide acquaintance in London, Paris and Berlin, and the proposition being very grateful to him, was accepted. He made several trips abroad and was at first greatly encouraged by his success. He finally became more especially interested in the Queen City Iron Mining Company, and devoted most of his attention to that corporation. Then the hard times affected all American securities abroad and he took the failure very much to heart. He became despondent, as one of his old wounds was troubling him, and he decided to give up active business. Gen. Jones called on Mr. Harding two weeks before his suicide, and told him that his head was troubling him greatly. He continuously heard ringing noises, and he said he believed his mind was becoming affected. Gen. Jones committed suicide on the day Mr. Harding received his pension certificate with the request that he collect the money.

"Gen. Jones belonged to the famous

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Blackburn family of Kentucky. He had three brothers. One of them, Col. John Wesley Jones of this city, was postmaster of Brooklyn and is still a very prominent politician."

A FOUR-HANDED GAME.

Schaefer and Daly Defeat Ives and Garnier at Boston.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

BOSTON, April 18.—The week of tournament billiards closed this afternoon with a four-handed 500-point match at 14-inch balk line, Schaefer and Daly playing Ives and Garnier for a purpse of $300. Schaefer and Daly won by a score om 500 to 326. The experiment of allowing but one point balk was introduced with good success. Schaefer and Daly were in excellent form and took a substantial lead in the third and fourth innings by runs of 57 and 52 respectively. The Wizard fixed the score in the seventeenth inning by a run of 121. Summary:

Schaefer and Daly, 500; Ives and Garnier, 326.

Highest run: Schaefer, 121; Daly, 52; Ives, 85; Garnier, 20. Averages: Schaefer, 25 3-11; Daly, 22; Ives, 23 7-11; Garnier, 6 6-10.

ESCAPE CUT OFF.

Emil Schaeffer's Family Badly Burned in Their Home.

CINCINNATI (O.,) April 18—At 2:15 o'clock this morning an explosion of coal-oil in the saloon of Emil Schaeffer on North Baymiluer street set the house on fire. The upper story was occupied as a dwelling. The flames spread rapidly, cutting off the escape of the sleeping inmates. The following persons were badly burned:

MRS. MARY SCHAEFFER, fatally.

MISS FREDA WAGNER, dangerously.

JOHN PIPER, 8 years old, seriously hurt.

MARY, the seven-months'-old baby of Freda Wagner, slightly burned.

All theb urned were taken to the City Hospital.

Fifty Carloads of Sardines.

The California Fish Company has just shipped from San Pedro fifty carloads of sardines to Omaha for the Missouri Valley markets, and another carload will soon be dispatched for St. Paul. This will give an idea of the growth of the sardine-canning industry in Southern California.

MAIN-STREET PAVING.

There will be an important meeting of Main-street property-owners this evening at the northwest corner of Main and Twenty-seventh streets. Matters of importance concerning the paving will come up and a large attendance is desired. By order of the committee.

FIESTA masks supplied. All grotesque styles at the Imperial Hair Bazaar, No. 224 West Second street. Come early.

MEXICAN hats for Fiesta. Campbell's.

The last of the series of informal dances that have been given at Turnverein Hall this season, by a number of the young people in the swell set, was held last Tuesday evening, and proved the most enjoyable of them all. Miss Mullen gave a charming party Wednesday afternoon, and Mrs. J. J. Akin entertained delightfully Thursday afternoon; Mrs. W. L. Graves gave a pretty luncheon on Thursday, and Mrs. J. G. Mossin entertained informally the same afternoon, in honor of her sister, Mrs. Stamm, of Ontario.

This subtle influence so gradually making itself felt, this tendency of women to make their plans without reference to the masculine element, to enjoy themselves just as heartily at parties where the men have been left out, as their benighted grandmothers used to in other days, when men were considered necessary to the success of any social function, has at last become apparent in the social spheres of this city, and a party has been given, and a dancing party at that, the men not only uninvited, but left in ignorance of the affair, and the party stands prominent among the successes of the season. The affair, which was called a "Twentieth Century Cotillon," was given last evening by Mrs. H. M. Sale, at her charming home on South Hill street, as a farewell to Miss Daisy Wood and Miss Virginia Belknap. Mrs. Sale was assisted by Mmes. F. W. Braun, H. T. Newell, Ball, Strong and Pattee. The three connecting rooms were thrown together and lavishly decorated with masses of roses and sweet peas. A stringed orchestra discoursed delightful music, and an elaborate supper was served. The figures were unique and fascinating, and the favors exceptionally pretty. The german was led by Miss Sadie Johnson and Miss Hattie Kimball. The twentieth-century girls, who were charming in black satin skirts, full dress coats and vests, white gloves and powdered hair, were the Misses Sadie Johnson, Virginia Belknap, Helen Fairchild, Eleanor Pattee, Daisy Wood, Nancy Davis, Gertrude Johnson, Helen Ball, Maude Newell, Sara Innes and Cora Goodrich. The young ladies, who were very lovely in their beautiful evening gowns, were the Misses Hattie Kimball, Katherine Johnson, Etta Bicknell, Lila Fairchild, Alice Strong, Virginia Cobleigh, Mary Luce, Bessie Mailey, Katherine Norman, Edna Bicknell, Anna Henderson, Dorothy Wellborn, Lena Mailey, Hattie Strong and Hattie Chapman.

FOR THE FLOWER FESTIVAL HOME.

A delightful entertainment was given Friday afternoon at the residence of Gen. and Mrs. E. P. Johnson, on South Hope street, for the benefit of the Flower Festival Home. Maj. H. N. Rust, who was an Indian agent for four years under Hayes, gave an interesting description of the Moqui snake-dance, illustrating his remarks with a number of fine stereopticon views. A long table was laden with Indian curios, and about the rooms were hung handsome blankets and baskets. In the hall was an Indian wigwam, presided over by Miss Gertrude Johnson, who made a fascinating "Minnehaha." Joe Bumiller was dressed as a buck, and called himself "Young-man-afraid-of-his-feet." Miss Wood represented Pocahontas, and Miss Swaine, "Yo-ha-me-am-e-jot-sky." Carlotta, the Indian girl, who was to have sung, is ill with diphtheria, and the Indian refreshments, which had been sent to Arizona for, were with Carlotta, and could not be reached. Tea and cakes were served by the young people in the Indian costumes. The committee in charge of the affair included Mmes. Frank Burnett and L. S. Thompson.

QUEEN ESTHER CIRCLE.

The members of Mr. Braly's Sunday-school class at Immanuel Church, gave a very successful entertainment Friday afternoon and evening, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Braly, in St. James Park, for the benefit of Miss Wambold, the young missionary recently sent out to Korea. The rooms were prettily decorated with a profusion of flowers and potted plants. A bowl of fruitade was presided over by the Misses Kemper and Moore, and delicious refreshments were served. In the evening, the rooms, the hall and stairway, and even the porch was filled to overflowing. In the afternoon the programme included a violin solo by Miss Helen Davenport, a song by A. H. Braly, a song by Mrs. Whitaker, with violin obligato by Miss Davenport, and a violin solo by L. Wilson. Miss Rogers was the accompanist. In the evening the programme consisted of solos by Miss Elizabeth Kimball and Malcolm Fraser, a cornet solo by Miss Matilee Loeb, a recitation by Tom Barnes and folk-songs by Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Rowan, Jr., Mrs. Larrabee was the accompanist. The young ladies who gave the very enjoyable affair were the Misses Marguerite and Rowena Moore, Katherine Kemper, Pansy Whitaker, Lora Hubbell, Blanche Woolwine, Blanche Merrill, Grace Alexander, Mabel Godfrey, Marian Dean, Ada Dryden, May Kimball, Ina Ramboz, Jennie Campbell, Hattie Kimball and Fannie Barber.

IN HONOR OF MR. AND MRS. TREGO.

An enjoyable dinner was given Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. George A. Howard, at their residence, No. 1602 Santee street, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Trego of Chicago who at present are guests at Hotel Green, Pasadena. The dining-room was charmingly decorated with delicate vines falling from the chandelier to the fruit centerpiece on the table, and a multitude of roses disposed in every available spot. The parlors were pretty with roses and ferns. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Trego and son, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Young of Boston, Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Howard and Miss Leila Griffith of St. Paul.

EL CLUB ESPANOL.

The meeting of the Spanish Club last Wednesday evening was one of the most interesting and enjoyable yet held. The attendance was large and each number of the programme was enthusiastically encored. The trio of two mandolins and guitar, by Mrs. Shawhan, J. Fred Schmeiser and J. M. Shawhan, is a new organization known as "The Serenaders." Dr. Fernandez's lecture in Spanish, descriptive of a trip through Spain and into Africa, was listened to with rapt attention punctuated here and there with laughter and applause. Besides the regular programme, Prof. J. P. Dunster played two of his own compositions, and J. M. Brenner played his new march, "La Fiesta," and for an encore, "Fanfanella." Shawhan sang two delightful tenor solos. The programme was under the direction of Prof. Arevalo, the Misses Flora Howes and Alice J. Stevens.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

A surprise party was given Henry Warren Wednesday evening, at his home on Ruth avenue, in honor of his forty-first birthday. Music and progressive cinque were the amusements of the evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. William Place, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McComas, Mr. and Mrs. William Riche, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Matson, Mr. and Mrs. Fogarty, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Warren, Mmes. Howell, Carrol, Beach, Broad, Colton, Perry, Johnson, Hoyt, Miss Mattie Leonard, Messrs. Ballard, Kysor, Paterson, Talbert, Jesse and John Gough, and Carmichael. The ladies' first prize, an embroidered individual butter set, was won by Mrs. Bert Bailey; the second, an egg beater, by Mrs. Fogarty. The gentlemen's first, a pen-knife, was won by J. M. Halbert, and the booby, a shovel labeled "Go bury thy sorrows," was, after a hard struggle, secured by Henry Matson.

A DINNER.

A delightful dinner was given last evening by Dr. and Mrs. John R. Haynes at their home on South Pearl street. The table was prettily decorated with sweet peas. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Parker, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Flagg, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jevne, Miss Marix, and J. S. Haynes.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. James Calvert Foy celebrated the first anniversary of their wedding with a dinner last evening. The table was pretty with white cosmos, arranged in a tall cut-glass vase in the center. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Foy, Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Melveny, Mr. and Mrs. George Safford, Miss Mary Foy, and E. H. O'Melveny.

LEAP-YEAR BALL.

The invitations extended by the Misses Butterworth and Dryden of University for a leap-year ball at their country place, La Dow, were responded to by 200 friends Thursday evening. The guests enjoyed a hay ride to the country, where they found the dance hall decorated in fiesta colors. The punch-room was presided over by Miss Alexander. The card-room was decorated in yellow. Bosshard's Orchestra furnished music for the dancing, which was enjoyed until 2 o'clock, after which the guests enjoyed the jolliest hay ride of the season to the University station, where a car which had been chartered was in waiting to convey the guests to the city. Miss May Butterworth acted as floor manager, assisted by the Misses Dell Butterworth and Emma Dryden. The guests were received by the Misses Dryden, Miss Gertrude Cook and Mrs. Charles Nance. The chaperons were Mmes. Harbert, Green, William Dryden and Ellsworth.

A CHURCH SOCIAL.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Lutheran Church gave the first of its series of monthly socials at the home of Mrs. George Basserman, on Hope street, Thursday evening. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. Adleman, Miss Ball, Mmes. Bauer, Burdick, Burkhart, Bosbyshell, Basserman, Jim Bryson, Al Bryson, John Bryson, S. Creunrini and Chever. A delightful programme was rendered, consisting of a piano solo by Miss Basserman, a vocal solo by Mrs. Rice, a violin solo by little Hazel Bryson, a recitation by Miss Grace Heidig, vocal solo by Mrs. Young, a vocal solo by Everett Messerly and a recitation by Miss Mildred Lamott. The house was elaborately decorated with flowers. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bauer, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Getts, Mr. and Mrs. C. Godwin, Mr. and Mrs. S. Creunrini, Mr. and Mrs. William Demerest, Mr. and Mrs. Burdick, Mr. and Mrs. George Basserman, Mr. and Mrs. S. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Rice, Mmes. Reeser, Bryson, Yerger, Brown, Medler, Plank, Young, Lamott, Nicoll, the Misses Violet Bauer, Hazel Bryson, Bessie Bryson, Ruth Yerger, Fannie Hickthier, Grace Neidig, Cora Neidig, Georgie Basserman, Margaret Rise, Mae Messerly, Mildred Lamott, Neidig, Levello, Ruigert, Halland; Messrs. Kern, George Wieman, Everett Messerly, Louis Desuinitz and others.

LA GOLONDRINA CLUB.

La Golondrina Club gave the third dance of its series at Kramer's Hall, Friday evening. The Reception Committee consisted of W. L. Packard and Frank Peckham. E. R. Luebbert acted as floor manager. The Venetian ladies orchestra furnished delightful music. Those present were: The Misses Edith Rich, Fay Lewis, Marie Apablaza, Camille Anguisola, Carrie Mellick, Rose Allen, Lea Schmidt, May Robson, Myrtle Dresser, Nita Martin, Jessie McFarland, Lula Moisso, Eva Milligan, Carrie Lawrence, the Misses Simmonds, McMartin and Sullivan; Messrs. Frank Peckham, W. C. Packard, H. O. Vogel, Walter Allen, Ed Schmidt, Niel Colgan, Ed Cammert, G. Allen, Harry Martin, Owen Dunn, Carl Vanderkuhlen, Will Kronnick, Ed Mullen, Will Myers and E. R. Luebbert.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

A pleasant party was given by Miss Sadie McGinley at her home on Helena avenue, in celebration of her eighteenth birthday. Music and games were enjoyed. Among those present were: The Misses M. McGinley, S. M. McGinley, Mambruster, C. Hawvichoist, E. Hill, A. Klusmann, D. Smith, E. Tyler, K. Shoneman, L. King, J. Ryan, A. Stickelbant, Summers, F. Mason, L. Mason, L. Kincaid, Messrs. P. Stickelbant, W. Nash, P. Kent, A. Hawvichoist, N. Ruth, J. Pedgrit, A. Drummond, R. Ramsey, J. McGinley, A. Thompson, Mouss, J. Haitnack, A. Haitnack, A. Haitnack, C. Green, Pierce, W. Nicolaus, E. Messerly, C. Stickelbant, R. Smith, W. Shreeves, J. Allen, W. Davis, O. Valenzuela, P. Burnette, G. Karstens, J. Ruddy, Yates, Mr. and Mrs. J. Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. R. Dun and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Decker.

A KINDERGARTEN ENTERTAINMENT.

A successful entertainment was given at the Stimson-Lafayette Kindergarten on Friday evening, under the direction of the Woman's Club of that institution. The rooms were prettily decorated with flowers from the Stimson garden. Miss Graham and Miss Leonard of the Cumnock School of Oratory assisted in the programme. The musical numbers were furnished by Miss Bacon, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Genner, Mrs. Silver, Mrs. Kleinclaus, Miss Lizzie Boner and Evans Miller.

THE VIOLET SOCIAL SOCIETY.

The members of the Violet Social Society were the guests of Charles Pleasance at his residence on South Broadway last Thursday evening. The evening was spent in singing, dancing and games. The solos and recitations by J. F. Korber were much enjoyed. The members of the society are Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Hughes, the Misses Zelle Carter, Eddeva Barney, Edena Lyon, Carrie Brossmer, Joe McCoy, Francis Mason, Theresa Borssmer, Gertie Swift, Fannie George, Annie Mockenhaubt, Francis Mockenhaubt, Minnie Korber, Nona Carr; Messrs. Charles Pleasance, L. Edelmann, O. Wilson, W. M. Megary, O. Waters, H. Henderson, W. McLaughlin, T. Harris, W. S. Henderson, J. F. Korber and others.

A PLEASANT SOCIAL.

The members of Epworth Methodist Episcopal Church held a social Friday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Cook, on College street. The house was prettily decorated with smilax and roses. A very enjoyable programme was given, including a piano duet by Mrs. and Miss Moore, a violin solo by Horace King, a reading by Miss Alice Hanly, a vocal duet by the Messrs Pugh and a piano duet by Mrs. Cooka nd Miss Maggie Pugh. The guests were then given paper and pencil and told to get all the autographs they could in ten minutes. Miss Sidener won the contest, getting forty-four names. The company then indulged in "literary salad," Horace King, who succeeded in placing the most quotations, being declared the winner.

A PROGRESSIVE WHIST PARTY.

The whist party given by Miss McCormack last evening, at her pretty home on West Twenty-first street, to meet the Misse Poehler of Minneapolis, was one of the most delightful affairs of the week. The rooms were effectively decorated with red, white and pink roses arranged in large bowls, and massed about the mantels. The ladies' first prize was an exquisitely-decorated bonbonniere, and the second a lovely cup and saucer. The gentlemen's first was a handsome cane, and the second a leather card-case. The ladies' consolation was a silver emery, and the gentlemen's a pack of cards in a handsome case. The tallies were unique affairs of rough pale pink and green paper, tied with corresponding ribbons, and decorated in water-colors, in imitation of playing cards. A delicious supper was served, for which Reynolds catered. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Poehler, Mrs. Lyon, the Misses Poehler, the Misses Kerckhoff, Schilling, Mullen, Kelly, Shankland, Keneally, Daft, Dillon, Montgomery, Rutz, Fitzwilliam, Doran, Baker and Frankenfield; Messrs. Shankland, Farwell, Ozman, Dick, McGarry, Waters, Twoby, Lawrence, Deering, Page, Poehler, Drs. Woodruff and Bryant, Messrs. J. Desmond, Rutz and Kerckhoff.

PEDRO CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Cline entertained the Pedro Club delightfully last evening, at their home on South Grand avenue. The rooms were gaily decorated with fiesta colors and American flags. The ladies' prize was a cut-glass, silver-mounted jar, and the gentlemen's a lizard-skin card case. The guessing prize furnished much amusement, the correct guesser as to the life of a candle, winning the pretty Dresden candlestick, which held it. Chafing-dish supper was served at one long table in the dining-room, Messrs. Ezra Stimson, O. W. Childs, J. C. Drake and Spruance acting as the chefs. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Earl, Mr. and Mrs. Holliday, Mrs. Holterhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Will Caswell, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Stimson, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Stimson, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Widney, Mr. and Mrs. Al Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Will Bishop, Miss Owen, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jones, Messrs. Spruance and Childs.

A FIESTA PARTY.

A delightful fiesta party was given Friday evening by Dr. and Mrs. Hitchcock at their home on South Grand avenue, in honor of a number of their South Bend, Ind., friends. Mrs. Hitchcock was charmingly assisted by Mrs. W. R. Baker of South Bend. Progressive games were played, Mrs. Philemon winning the ladies' first prize, a fiesta tin-horn, and Mrs. Metcalf the second, a tambourine. Mr. Sumption won the gentlemen's first, a rooster, and Dr. Davisson the second, a drum. The souvenirs were rubber dolls dressed in fiesta colors. The rooms were prettily decorated with red roses, yellow calendulas and potted palms, ferns and blooming cacti. Callas were colored red and yellow and arranged in a huge jar, to puzzle the eastern guests. The refreshments were carried out in fiesta colors, and Mrs. Hitchcock's and Mrs. Baker's gowns were bright with the same colors. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Sumption, Mrs. W. D. Smith, Miss Borbarger of Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. C. Truitt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Metcalf, Mrs. Bide Birdsall, Mrs. Florence Silliman, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adler, Mrs. Carrie Adler, Mr. and Mrs. West, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall, Mrs. Maye, Miss Rush, Mr. De Frese, Mrs. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Bailey, Dr. and Mrs. Davisson and Mrs. T. W. Holler.

A HEARTS PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Flint entertained informally at hearts last evening in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Barhydt of Burlington, Iowa. The pretty reception hall was effectively decorated with masses of wild mustard and potted plants were effectively arranged about the other rooms. Each guest received a pretty souvenir in the form of a heart-shaped box in fiesta colors, filled with corresponding bon-bons and tied with ribbon and flowers of the same shades. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank King, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burnett, Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jevne, Mr. and Mrs. Fairchild, Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Avery, Dr. Rogers, Mrs. Gardner of Brooklyn, N. Y., Mrs. Gray, Dr. Bryant, the Misses Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Booth.

PROGRESSIVE SALMAGUNDI.

The senior class of the Cumnock School of Oratory entertained the junior class and their friends very pleasantly at a Salmagundi party yesterday afternoon, at the school on West Twenty-third street. The Misses Murphy, Robinson and Graham assisted. There were eleven tables. The prize was a volume of Crocker's "The Play Actress." The parlors were prettily decorated with nets filled with roses, and jars of sweet peas and marguerites. Those present were: The Misses Keyser, Chambers, True, Hitchcock, Mmes. Bryan, Gibbs, Frank Murphy, Hill, Armstrong, Crippen, Morgan, Parker, the Misses Bosbyshell, Gill, May Campbell, Dennen, Shamblin, Leonard, Parker, Tanner, Wheeler, Oliver, Curran, Buchanan, Evans, Palette, Garfield, De Camp, Newell, North, Palmer, Tilden, Holabird, Booth, Powell, Russell, York, Pearl, Adams, Lord, Anderson, Langworthy, Maynard and McLane.

AN INFORMAL DANCING PARTY.

Miss Emma Graves entertained a few of her friends at an informal dancing party last evening at her home on South Pearl street. Among the guests were: The Misses Myra Lindley, Katherine Kemper, Helen Davenport, Dillon, Nannia Dillon, Alma and Genevieve Deming and Bella Haverstick; Messrs. Charles Stimson, M. Cleveland, Frank Kemper, Spencer, Thorp, Dillon, Le Grande Howell, Lamar Harris, Ed North, Will Phelps and Burdette Jevne.

A THEATER PARTY.

The gentlemen of the Midwinter Whist Club gave the ladies a theater party at the Los Angeles Theater Thursday evening, followed by a delicious supper at Illich's, at which Mr. McGarry was toastmaster. Mr. MacDonald proposed a toast "To the Ladies," and Miss Nora Desmond very gracefully responded. Those present were: The Misses Kerchkoff, Nora, Kate and Anna Desmond, Flora Lindley, Redenman, Bassett and Riley; Messrs. MacDonald, McGarry, Joe McGarry, Kerchkoff, Kitchin, Joe Desmond, Redenman and Dr. Brill.

IN HONOR OF AN ENGAGEMENT.

A pleasant whist party was given last evening by Mrs. L. A. Denker and Miss Mamie Denker, at their home on West Twentyfourth street, in honor of the latter's engagement to Louis Lichtenberger, second son of Mrs. E. Lichtenberger. The guests were limited to the relatives. The games were followed by dancing. The supper, which was under the direction of Christopher, was served at a long table, decorated with sweet peas and roses. The dining-rooms were pretty with roses, and potted plants and flowers were artistically arranged in the hall. Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. C. L. W. Whipple, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mesmer, Mrs. Hammel, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Griffith, Mrs. E. Lichtenberger, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kugemann, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lichtenberger, H. Denker, Louis and George Lichtenberger, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mesmer and Miss Antoinette Denker.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Mrs. Millbank Johnson gave a delightful luncheon, at her beautiful home in Alhambra on Thursday, to a number of her Los Angeles and Alhambra friends. Those present were: Mmes. C. B. Woodhead, D. M. Welch, E. W. Carhart, F. M. Larwin, and Miss Carhart of Los Angeles, and Mmes. Gail Borden, Johnson, F. E. Robinson, Volk, Lathrop and Waldo Johnson of Alhambra.

Dr. and Mrs. Johnson, Baby Louiez, and niece, Phila Johnson, will leave for Europe May 16, the doctor planning to pursue special medical studies in Paris.

Miss Mary Benson of Ontario and Miss Sue Shaffer of Pasadena, will be the guests of the Misses Widney at their home, "Euclid Crest," Euclid street, Boyle Heights, during fiesta.

Zeta Chapter of Gamma Eta Kappa Fraternity held its regular meeting last Thursday evening at the home of Fred Hambright on South Flower street. After the regular business refreshments were served and "flashlights" taken. The "fraters" present were T. P. McCrea, Gay Lewis, Russ Taylor, Vic Stewart, Carl Tufts, John Glass, Clare Strohn, Tom Haskins, Clarence Hubbard, Burdette Jevne and Fred Hambright.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Nordholt and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper have returned from Santa Barbara.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Swearinger of Decatur, Ill.; Mrs. Adolph Loeb and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Edgerley, Mrs. C. H. Bunker and daughter, all of Chicago, are at Hotel Broadway.

At a meeting of the Central W.C.T.U. held at Temperance Temple last Friday, it was decided to make the next regular meeting one of inquiry and information, each member furnishing an item of interest in reference to the celebrated orator, Hon. John G. Woolley, who will soon appear in Los Angeles.

A merry party of friends met last Tuesday at the home of Dr. W. W. Murphy on Philadelphia street, to surprise Mrs. Murphy's niece, Miss Myrtle Day, and a most successful affair they made of it. Those present were Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Teale, Mrs. Moody, Mrs. Henry H. Bixby, the Misses Wilde, Jobson, Sadie Wilde, Nelson, Moody, Teale, Day, Lily Bixby, Dr. Claire W. Murphy, Messrs. Caven, Rogers, Lawless, Bresee and Day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Allen, who have been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Strong of West Fifteenth street, will leave Wednesday evening for New York State, accompanied by their son, Louie Allen, and his wife.

The third of the fortnightly musical reading given by Mrs. Cogswell before her pupils, at her residence on Flower street, on Friday evening, was most enjoyable. The subject was "Violin Playing and Violinists." There were songs by the Misses Shields, Pepper, Cogswell and Fred Rhoades. Miss Cogswell gave two violin solos, and the trio from "Martha" was rendered by Miss Sarah Cogswell, Miss Shields and Mr. Rhoades.

The guests and friends of the Bancroft were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wickersham on last Tuesday evening. The house was tastefully decorated with roses and lilies and the walls covered with palms and pepper boughs. Miss Maude Hill, Guy Hill and H. L. Monlux gave several trios. Miss Hunter and Mmes. Kile and Sims gave piano solos, and there were several songs.

A pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride, No. 514 Pasadena avenue, Wednesday at 7 p.m., when in the presence of a large number of friends Rev. L. F. Laverty united in marriage Robert Heaney and Miss Emma Wetzel, both of this city. Miss Grace Ketchum of Pasadena acted as bridesmaid and Robert Wilcox as best man. The young couple left on the evening train for San Francisco. They will reside at No. 514 Pasadena avenue.

The concert given at Plymouth Congregational Church on Friday evening, partly for the benefit of Miss Orra Burke, was very successful. Miss Burke, though scarcely more than a child, has a contralto voice of rich quality. She was ably assisted by Mrs. P. C. Kofoed, Miss Maude Willis, Miss Haines and Mr. Fraser, and a pleasing programme was given.

The John A. Logan W.R.C. will give a social and literary entertainment at the hall, No. 610½ South Spring street, Tuesday evening. The programme will be followed by dancing.

The final meeting of the season of the Duplicate Whist Club was held Thursday evening at the residence of Judge and Mrs. Ling, on Downey avenue. The ladies' prize, a beautiful Royal Worcester vase was won by Mrs. Buss, and the gentlemen's, a silver clothes brush, by Mr. Stafford.

Dr. J. C. Miner of Kansas City, Mo., arrived on the overland Friday night and is a guest of his sister, Mrs. M. J. Green, M. D., at No. 1327 South Flower street.

Miss Annie Mihan of San Francisco is the guest of Mrs. George L. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Levy will be at home today at their residence, No. 544½ South Hope street.

Mrs. W. C. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Brown left Friday for a visit of several months in the East.

The Reception Committee at the reception to be given Tuesday evening at Turnverein Hall by the Southern California and the Los Angeles Medical societies to the State society, will consist of Mmes. H. G. Brainard, W. G. Cochran, W. W. Hitchcock, Walter Lindley, Drs. Elizabeth A. Follansbee and Anne Nixon, Mmes. M. L. Moore, F. T. Bicknell, J. H. Utley, George L. Cole, Granville MacGowan and Miss Wills.

The Misses Elizabeth Lebus and Bernice Tyler entertained the young ladies of the T.N.A. Saturday afternoon at the home of the former on South Olive street. Miss Adelaide Loring was the guest of the afternoon. Several pictures were taken in the garden, after which refreshments and dancing were enjoyed. Those present were Frances and Edithe Barber, Lillian Peck, Sabina Burks, Adelaide Loring, Elizabeth Lebus and Bernice Tyler.

A few of Miss Pearl Stevens's friends surprised her Monday evening at her new home on Twenty-first and Main streets. The evening was spent in music and games. Among those present were the Misses Grace Brown, N. Besh, Dollie Wilson, Tessa Brown, Daisy Welles, Daisy Betzold, C. Betzold and Besh; Messrs. C. Valiant, Bert Willey, C. Crabtree, C. Hill, J. Adams, F. Bowen, W. Pierson, R. Stevens and Clyde Maxwell.

An interesting baptism took place at the home of Mrs. Blanchard, on East Twenty-ninth street, on Tuesday, when the little daughter of A. W. Marsh was baptized by Dr. Rutlege of Delaware, O., the minister who, forty years ago, performed the marriage ceremony for the grandmother, Mrs. Blanchard. The baptismal bowl used was bought for the use of Bishop Asbury in Mt. Vernon, O., over eighty years ago, and has figured at this service for four generations.

Miss Daisy Parton of Santa Ana is the guest of Miss Minnie Ward of South Hope street.

Mr. and Mrs Emil Kirchner have returned from a ten-days' trip through the Ojai Valley and a visit at Santa Barbara.

A grand military ball will be given Wednesday evening at Illinois Hall by Co. C, Seventh Infantry, N.G.C. The grand march will begin at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Tolhurst entertained the Saturday Afternoon Whist Club yesterday afternoon.

Miss Jane Parsons has returned from the northern part of the State, where she has been taking vocal lessons.

Los Angeles circle, No. 151, C. of F., gave its fourth anniversary ball at Music Hall Saturday evening. The Executive Committee included L. Meyer, chairman, Messrs. W. J. Joyce, Joseph Scholtens, E. J. Clark, W. M. Hynock, Mmes. N. White, E. E. Bell, Kennedy, L. Martin, the Misses Lou White, Diskmeyer and Anne Jolls. The Reception Committee consisted of the Misses Lou White, Winston, and Rosa Mellus. The Floor Committee included Joseph Scholteus, manager, L. Lacroix and N. Northmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Myer Siegel (née Flora Magnin) have returned from their honeymoon. They will receive this afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock at No. 703 West Tenth street.

Miss Lilla F. Griffith of St. Paul, Minn., is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. G. Howard, at No. 1621 Santee street.

Miss Genevieve Averill of San Diego is visiting her friend, Miss Battomes, and will remain to enjoy the coming festivities.

The committee canvassing for materials and funds wherewith to enlarge the Stimson-Lafayette Industrial School building is meeting with wonderful success. It is expected that the work will commence about July 1.

OUT-OF-TOWN SOCIETY.

Social Notes and Personal Gossip from Round About.

SAN DIEGO.

The annual banquet of the Loyal Legion at he Hotel Brewster, early in the week, was one of the most enjoyable occasions of the kind ever given in this city. The newly-elected president, Maj. Myles Woylan, U.S.A., received the congratulations of comrades from all parts of the State. Col. Smedberg acted as toastmaster. Gen. Eli H. Murray talked about the Mormons, past and present. Judge George Puterbaugh related some of his interesting experiences as a captain during the war, as did Capt. J. H. Barbour. Other entertaining speeches were made by Maj. Moylan, Col. Blackmer, Col. Smedberg, Capt. F. de L. Carrington, U.S.A., Adjt.-Gen. Barrett, Maj. Diss. of Gov. Budd's staff, were present.

The many friends of Charles A. Rossier bade him au revoir on Wednesday. This popular young gentleman goes to East Oakland to wed one of the fairest women of that city on April 23. The bride, Miss Mary Georgenia Pope, has many friends here, where she will be warmly welcomed when the couple return. The wedding will be at the Church of the Advent in East Oakland. Bishop Nichols will officiate. The reception will be at "Hillcrest," the home of the bride's parents. Frank Smith has cabled to his head gardner from Nice, to take charge of the entire decorations at the wedding. George B. Cramer of Philadelphia will be the best man. The ushers will be H. J. Armstrong and A. Smith Crowder of San Diego, and Lieut. Charles L. Bert, U. S.A., of Benecia. Miss Carolyn Hauxhurst will be the maid of honor and Miss Virginia White the bridesmaid.

O. J. Stough celebrated his 78th birthday anniversary on Saturday. This vigorous and active gentleman is one of the most prominent citizens of the county, and has a proud record as a soldier in the Mexican war and the war of the rebellion, and if another war should occur doubtless Uncle Sam would find him well qualified and ready to again take an active hand in hostilities at he front.

The reception of Mrs. J. W. Sefton at her Laurel-street home on Thursday night brought together many leading people of the county, including Hon. and Mrs. A. J. Obonor, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dalton, Dr. and Mrs. Woodward, Gen. and Mrs. Eli H. Murray, Mrs. Julia Ivers, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Tales, Mr. and Mrs. George Hannahs, Judge and Mrs. George Puterbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Stough, Judge and Mrs. E. S. Torrance, Granville Eaton, Miss Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Heber Ingle, Capt. and Mrs. W. R. Maize, Mrs. Fannie Keating, Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Doolittle, and about fifty others.

Miss Fannie Arey and Fred Ingle of this city were married at Tucson, Ariz., on Thursday.

David S. Murray, the manager for the Bell Telephone Company at Salt Lake, is the guest of Gen. and Mrs. Eli H. Murray at the Hotel Florence.

RIVERSIDE.

The Baptist Sunday-school Orchestra were guests of the Casa Loma Hotel, Redlands, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wentworth, formerly of this city, have accepted the management of the Alpine Tavern at the upper terminus of the Mount Lowe Railway.

The fact that E. P. Clarke, the newspaper man, is building a fine residence is considered very suggestive. He is a bachelor.

John McNabb and Oscar Edinger of Riverside participated in the Santa Barbara tournament.

Miss Flossie Nichilson has accepted a position in a Los Angeles church as organist.

Co. M gave a pleasant reception to Capt. J. N. Keith, Lieuts. C. T. Rice and Bradford Morse Wednesday evening, which was attended by 400 citizens. The Junior Band rendered fine music, and among others who contributed to the pleasure of the occasion were Frank Horton, Miss M. Roe, C. B. Bailey, Miss McCully, Will Russell, Lieut. H. J. Bedwell, Miss Rockhold, Miss Rice, Mr. Merwin, R. Roe. On behalf of the company Private Tasker presented Capt. Keith with a beautiful gold watch. An exhibition drill was given and short speeches were made by Lieuts. Rice and Morse.

Judge W. H. Clark continued to preside in the Superior Court through the week, his place in Los Angeles having been taken by Judge Noyes of the Riverside court.

In honor of the recent victory of the Y.M.C.A. Reds in the membership contest, the Blues gave them a very enjoyable reception Tuesday evening.

SANTA ANA.

Mrs. C. A. Riggs and Mrs. Ross-Lewin and daughters, both of Santa Ana, delightfully entertained a large number of their friends the past week.

Young ladies of Santa Ana are taking special interest in bicycle riding, and frequently indulge in delightful parties to near-by places of resort.

Mrs. H. F. Skinner and daughter of this county, have been in Santa Barbara the past week in attendance upon the flower carnival and visiting friends.

County Auditor J. H. Hall left Saturday for San Francisco to attend the Knights Templars convention, to which he is a delegate. During his absence he will visit relatives in the San Joaquin Valley.

Miss Nellie Lee of Santa Ana has gone to San Diego to visit with relatives and friends for a few days.

A. Goldstein and family, for many years residents of Santa Ana, departed a few days ago for San Francisco, where they expect to take up a permanent residence.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bushard of Santa Ana gave their nephew, Fred Bushard, an enjoyable farewell party last Saturday evening. The young man goes to his old home in Minnesota.

Miss Ada Galoway of Los Angeles is in Santa Ana for a few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Galloway.

The members of the Rebekah Lodge of Santa Ana pleasantly entertained a large number of their friends in Odd Fellow's Hall a few evenings ago. The entertainment was given for the benefit of the Orphans' Home of Oroville.

Mrs. Della Kernodle and daughter, Flora, returned to Santa Ana recently from San Jacinto, where they had been visiting a daughter and sister, Miss Anna Kernodle.

Santa Ana has a "tuneful nine," composed of musically inclined ladies and gentlemen. A few evenings ago the party was delightfully entertained at the home of Miss Esther Towner.

Mrs. John C. Bunker pleasantly entertained a number of young ladies at her home on Spurgeon street Friday afternoon, in honor of the Misses Eleanor Anderson and Agnes McCullough of Springfield, O. The parlors were beautifully decorated with smilax and roses, and before the many guests departed delicate refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williamson of Muncie, Ind., who have been visiting T. J. Alexander and family of Santa Ana for the past several weeks, departed Saturday for their eastern home.

SANTA MONICA.

Rev. O. F. Wismer, who has for the past six months been serving as stated supply for the First Presbyterian Church, is to be the regularly installed pastor. The church extended to him a call, which has been made through the medium of the Los Angeles Presbytery. The call was accepted, and a committee of the presbytery has been appointed to conduct the installation ceremonies, which are to be on May 20. The members of the committee are: Revs. Messrs. Gage of Riverside, Chichester of Los Angeles and Wilbur of Newhall, the last-named being a former classmate of the candidate for installation.

SAN BERNARDINO.

Mrs. J. K. Schermerhorn visited friends in Santa Monica last week.

Mrs. Mattie A. Kearns of Northern California is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Dickey.

Mrs. B. C. Roos and children are visiting in San Francisco.

Mrs. W. A. Selkirk is entertaining Mrs. J. W. Pratt from the northern part of the State.

J. L. Jonas is again in the city, after some time spent in San Francisco.

T. J. Starke is about again, after several days' confinement by illness.

Mrs. Rabel-Sheldon spent several days in Santa Barbara last week.

Miss Faith Shoup and Miss Emma Morgan are taking a vacation at their homes from the Normal School at Los Angeles.

The young people of the Christian Church gave an entertainment Tuesday evening which the audience thoroughly enjoyed. Among the successes of the evening were numbers by the Cadet Band, by Mrs. H. Conner, Miss Lottie Hammond, Prof. Hill, Miss Mabel Beakley, Mrs. Jonas Wood, Lyre de Orpheus Mandolin Club, Mrs. M. A. Pace, E. M. Pugh and Prof. Granville Starbuck.

Edward Dolch of Victor and Miss Lizzie Greenlee of Indianapolis, Ind., were married in this city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sheldon were among the visitors to Santa Barbara last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Potter and children have gone on an extended visit to San Francisco.

Alexander McBeam of Oakland was in

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Mrs. Edward Daley, Sr., and Miss May Daley are visiting in Los Angeles from which place they will go to Santa Monica within a month to spend the summer.

The ladies of St. John's Episcopal Guild gave an "Aunt Jerusha" social Wednesday evening, which was as enjoyable as novel. "Aunt Jerusha" was represented by Mrs. L. F. Eggers.

Col. C. Mason Kinne, senior past department commander G.A.R., of San Francisco, was in town Thursday.

Miss Frank Beach left Thursday evening for San Luis Potosi, Mex.

REDLANDS.

E. H. Mulligan returned during the past week from the East. The wedding of Mr. Mulligan and Miss Stillwell is announced for an early date.

An afternoon luncheon was given by Mrs. R. T. Allen Friday afternoon to a number of lady friends.

Dr. Annie Carveth spent several days the past week at Coronado.

Ed Glover, Fred Harthorn and T. M. Rigdon left Wednesday for Vacaville. They will make the 600-mile trip on bicycles and spend the summer in the employ of the Early Fruit Company.

M. M. Atwater has removed to Los Angeles.

C. C. Abbey and Wilson Bedford are on a visit to Fort Worth, Tex.

O. W. Harris is enjoying a visit from his mother, Mrs. Nellie M. Harris of Rensselar, Ind.

The war-song concert given by the ladies of the Terrace Congregational Church Tuesday evening, was a very enjoyable event. The Academy of Music was appropriately draped with bunting. "Marching Through Georgia" was sung by a chorus of thirty-five voices. J. Stewart Robertson rendered "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp," with a male chorus. Mrs. E. H. Sporr sang "Summer Love Dream." "Kingdom Coming" was sung by thirteen pickaninnies. M. F. Pierce whistled "The Mocking Bird." Co. G rendered "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground." Other delightful numbers were rendered by the chorus, Mrs. Richardson, thirteen little girls. A number of tableaux were presented.

Miss Gussie Oberender, after a visit with Mrs. S. H. Warren, has returned to her home in Portland, Or.

Lon G. Haight and Miss Lottie Haight started Friday morning for a visit with friends in San Diego, making the trip on bicycles.

Miss Gertrude Worthing has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. R. C. O'Brien, in Los Angeles.

Miss Jennie Buck of St. Paul, Minn., after a two months' visit with Miss Bessie Doran at Old San Bernardino, has returned to her home.

Mrs. John P. Fisk gave a reception and tea Friday afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock.

F. P. Meserve and James F. Drake will represent Redlands Chapter at the Grand Chapter, R.A.M., in San Francisco.

Unity Guild gave a dance at the Academy of Music Thursday evening which ranks among the most enjoyable social events of the season. Sixty couple participated in the pleasure of the hop and the delightful luncheon.

POMONA.

The dancing party that Aetna Lodge, Knights of Pythias of Pomona, will give at the Hotel Palomares on May 1, promises to a delightful and well-attended affair.

Hon. W. H. Scott and wife departed for their home in Toledo, O., on Tuesday, and J. J. Swigett and family left for Toledo on Thursday. All of them have been spending the winter in Pomona.

City Clerk Garthside is in San Francisco as the representative of Pomona Chapter, Royal Arch Masons.

Miss Ida Shutt is visiting relatives in Los Angeles.

Pro. F. A. Molyneaux is home from attendance upon a meeting of the directors of the State Normal schools at San José.

Corona Temple of Rathbone Sisters, Knights of Pythias Order, entertained a number of invited friends at their rooms in the McComas Block yesterday (Saturday) afternoon.

A party of young people from Whittier came to Pomona in a tally-ho on Thursday, as the friends of Frank Nance and his sister, Miss Nance. The party were guests at Keller's Hotel. The Whittier party was composed as follows: Misses Lena Dunlap, Grace Egan, Alice Thomas, Minnie Lombard, Isabel Stafford and Nellie Swain, under the chaperonage of Mrs. Hyars; also Messrs. Wiggins, Swain, Bailie, Chapelear, Dunlap, Hyars and Dr. Harry Smith. The party was entertained at an impromptu dancing party at Kessler's Hall, and had a long drive to Claremont and about Pomona Valley.

Miss Caton entertained a small company of friends at luncheon on Thursday afternoon, at her home on the corner of Ellen and Fourth streets.

S. M. Haskell and wife have returned from a visit in Sacramento and attendance upon the State Press Association Convention.

Manager J. W. Mills of the State Experimental Station, and wife, are in San Francisco, where they have numerous relatives.

D. E. Edgar and daughter of Los Angeles are visiting relatives in Pomona.

Miss Lulu Parker is home, after an absence of seven months, during which she has been teaching school at the little settlement of Mohawk, near Yuma, Ariz.

W. H. Collis and J. J. Palmer of Oakland are guests of B. F. Nance and family at Keller's Hotel.

James Fulton of Santa Rosa is visiting with relatives and old friends here for a short time.

Charles Newman and wife have gone to Long Beach for several months on the seashore.

ONTARIO.

Miss May Stevenson was tendered a surprise party on Thursday evening by a large number of her friends. Three tally-ho loads of young people from Pomona were among the surprising party.

The Ontario Dancing Club enjoyed a pleasant hop in the A.O.U.W. Hall on Tuesday evening. Dowse's orchestra furnished the music.

Miss Lolo Eells entertained a party of young friends very agreeably at her home on D street Wednesday evening.

A social dance was the culminating feature of the Salmagundi social given by the Rebekahs on Friday evening. The ladies of this popular order propose giving a series of these pleasant social events.

The Ontario Dancing Club will give the last ball of the season immediately after the fiesta.

Dr. J. A. McLeod of Brooklyn, N. Y., visited friends in Ontario the past week.

Miss Shawhan, Miss Brokaw and Mrs. R. H. Tuttle are spending a few days at the Arlington in Santa Barbara.

Mrs. O. Fountain of Santa Rosa was a guest of Mrs. A. F. Clarke this week.

Mrs. Monks and Mrs. Kerns of Mankato, Minn., are visiting the family of B. Tuttle.

An Arbitration Board.

Gov. Morton of New York has nominated as Commissioners of Mediation and Arbitration. Charles L. Phipps of Rockaway, in Queens county, to succeed Gilbert Robinson, Jr., from May 19 next; William H. H. Webster of Buffalo as the representative of the labor organziations, to succeed Edward Feeney, from May 19, leaving Mr. Purcell, the third member, in office. Mr. Webster, who has a son employed by the Southern Pacific Company, is a conductor on the New York Central Belt Line. He was United States Consul at Chatham, Ont., during the last administration, and was backed for the position to which he has been nominated by seventeen organizations of railroad men at Buffalo. He is a strong Republican, clear-headed and [illegible]itive in character.

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MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

A fine programme has been prepared for the grand concert to be given at Hazard's Pavilion Wednesday evening. The orchestra, which includes fifty men, a number of whom are from San Francisco, will play Moszkvinski's "Marche d'Entre," from Boabdil Cherubini's "Overture Anacreon," a Lohengrin suite, a Strauss waltz, a Hungarian fantasie by Brahm-Tobani, and America. The grand chrous of 300 and the orchestra, will render "With Sheathed Swords" from "Naaman," by Costa; "Watching Over Israel," from Mendelssohn's "Elijah," and "Bright as a Ray," from the "Queen's Lace Hankerchief," by Strauss. Mrs. Maude Berry Fisher, who was selected by Sousa to sing at the Midwinter Fair, will sing "Le Parlate d'Amour," by Gounod, and with Mrs. Charles Dickman, one of San Francisco's leading contraltos, a madrigal by E. Meyer-Helmund. Mrs. Dickman will also sing a Hindoo song by Bemberg. In the intermezzo minuet from the second Arlesienne suite by Bizet, Mrs. F. C. Gottschalk will play the harp obligato. Andrew Bogart, one of San Francisco's best baritones, will sing "She Alone Charmeth My Sadness," by Gounod, and "My Dreams," by Tosti. The orchestra and chorus are under the direction of Harley Hamilton.

At St. Vincent's Church this morning Mr. and Mrs. Josef Rubo will sing, the latter repeating Dion Romandy's "Veni Creator," to which Romandy will play the violin obligato. Joseph Nuelle will sing the tenor solo, "Et Incarnatus Est," and Miss Scanlan will sing Gilsinn's "Agnus Dei." Nearly all the fine Easter music given at this church will be repeated today. The rite of confirmation will also be administered by Bishop Montgomery, there being an unusually large class this year.

The famous Schubert male quartette of Chicago, who have made for themselves a reputation second to none in America, and who have been doing concert work for the past twenty years, assisted by one of the best harp soloists in this country, have been engaged to give one of their concerts in this city on Tuesday evening, April 28, at Simpson Tabernacle.

A number of new musical publications have appeared, called forth by La Fiesta. Miss Deborah S. Lyndall has composed a song for soprano, called "My Queen," and dedicated to the Queen of La Fiesta. Miss C. G. Hatchett has composed a carnival march. Frederick Blanchard has produced a tuneful march, "Our Italy," dedicated to La Fiesta; Roncovieri, the leader of the American Concert Band, which will participate in La Fiesta, has written a march, and dedicated it to J. F. Francis. Charles Tychsen has also composed a carnival march, which is as yet only in manuscript, and will be played exclusively by the Blanchard-Fitzgerald Band.

East Side Notes.

Rev. L. F. Laverty and Rev. R. Dodd attended the presbytery at Pomona last week.

R. J. Adcock has received a permit to erect a dwelling on Hawkins street.

The Misses Jessie and Elsie Lycan have been visiting Miss Williams on Primrose avenue. They returned to their home in Vineland.

Miss Bess Moore is quite sick at Tropico.

The remains of Lewis Lafayette Mitchell were brought in by his brother Clyde yesterday. He died at Hedges, Cal., from the effects of fever. The funeral will take place today at 2:30 p.m. from the Baptist Church.

A whist party was enjoyed by a number of guests at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Sibley last Friday evening.

A surprise and tally-ho party combined was given to Miss Lena Petters on Mozart street last Thursday. A fine trip was made through Alhambra and San Gabriel.

Rev. George E. Dye will speak at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening. Baptism in the morning.

Cycling Racing for Youngsters.

The first of the monthly bicycle races over the Shorb course was run yesterday morning. John Finnall making the course in 16:45. He had never ridden in a race before. James McDonald won first place from the 4 minute mark, and Jaspar Griffin won second place from the same mark. The entries were as follows Four minutes—Jasper Griffin, Will Horn, James McDonald, Lawrence Johnston. Two minutes—Ed Finney. One minute—Earl Gorman, Homer Kennedy, Howard Smart, Chester Franklin, John Finnall, Carey Gregory, Florian Franklin. Scratch—Frank Stewart, Homer Frick, Clarence Parks.

John Finnall, winner of first time and third place, gets the silver medal donated by William S. Obenauer. The boys had everal falls; Will Horn ran into a wagon and broke his collar bone. William G. Obenauer started the boys at Shorb Station, and Mr. Dockstetter and Ben Tyler were timekeepers.

Redondo Beach Renewed.

Visitors to Redondo Beach this year will be pleasantly surprised at the great improvements that have been made. The hotel, bathhouse and other buildings have all been freshened with new paint. The interior of the plunge bath has been renovated and newly painted, and some mechanical improvements have been instituted. The beach has been cleared of a number of the unsightly wooden buildings, and the new wharf amplifies and improves the fishing ground. Several acres of carnations have been set out along the bluffs overlooking the sea, and these will be free for visitors. Everything has been done to bring it right up to date in all particulars.

Coast Directory.

The Pacific Coast Business Directory for 1896 is a huge book, especially intended for commercial reference. It is issued by the Merchants' Publishing Company of San Francisco. Fashioned after the plan of most State gazettes, the work has the distinction of being printed in unusually large type. The arrangement of the towns is alphabetical and the information appears to have been carefully collated. It contains a well-classified list of the business-houses in all the towns of considerable size in Arizona, British Columbia, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Washington and Wyoming. It will be of special value to jobbers and manufacturers.

The Governor Has Come Again.

Gov. James H. Budd arrived from the North yesterday at 1:30 p.m., and shortly after went up to Mt. Lowe, where he will remain until today or Monday, and go thence to Coronado.

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Meeting of the Los Angeles Free Kindergarten Association Monday, 2 p.m., No. 1011 South Hill. All bills and reports of tickets sold and unsold for "Cradle Songs" sent there.

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Have you seen the fine hair brushes with solid aluminum backs, and the pure aluminum combs at the Pittsburgh Aluminum Company's new store, No. 215 West Third street?

The Nadeau Cafe has just completed the most elegant grillrooms in the city, and which are now open to the public. Private rooms for ladies and gentlemen. Open day and night.

Visit Redondo Beach today and inspect the flagship Philadelphia. Don't carry lunch basket, but go to the Redondo Hotel, and get a first-class meal for 50 cents.

For good single, double, three-seaters and ladies' calling carriages go to the U. S. Stables, Tenth and Flower. George Knapp, proprietor.

Exhibition and sale of water-color studies, California subjects, by Marie A. Ney, No. 435 South Broadway.

To let—Windows during fiesta on Sixth street, opposite tribunes. Inquire No. 563 South Hope.

For sale—Four per cent. government bonds, new issue, at First National Bank, Pasadena.

Elegant dinner at Nadeau Cafe today, 4:30 to 8 p.m. Private rooms for ladies and gentlemen.

Dr. W. H. Ward, obstetrics, diseases of women and children a specialty, Byrne Block.

Chicken dinner, 25 cents at the La Veta, No. 411 South Broadway, from 4 to 7:30.

Hear Evangelist Mysonhimer tonight at Central Church, Fifteenth and Main streets.

See window display of W. E. Cummings, the shoe man, No. 110 South Spring.

Fiesta badges and masks, Campbell's Curio Store, No. 325 South Spring street.

Eastern and California oysters on shell, 50c dozen, Hollenbeck Hotel Café.

Call telephone 234 for ambulances. Kregelo & Bresee, Sixth and Broadway.

Hotel Baltimore—secure rooms for fiesta—corner Seventh and Olive streets.

Fine chicken dinner at Ralston, No. 315 West Third, today, 4 to 7:30 p.m.

Mr. R. Samish, studio for china decorating at Meyberg Bros., 138 S. Main.

Masks and badges at Campbell's

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for S. J. Parker, Walter A. Harch, J. L. McLein, J. James, De Barr, Alwyn A. Alvord, Nicholas Bossen and C. A. Laton.

A full attendance of the managers of the Stimson-Lafayette Industrial Association is expected on Tuesday, April 21, at 10 a.m., at the Lafayette Kindergarten building.

Jesus Arirso was locked up in the County Jail yesterday, to await his trial in the United States courts on a charge of selling liquor to Indians. Arirso was brought in from San Bernardino yesterday.

The Sons of St. George will give an entertainment and ball Friday next in Illinois Hall, on Sixth and Broadway, for the benefit of the order. Miss F. Farnsworth will recite "McLean's Child" at the entertainment.

At the Los Angeles Athletic Club the billiard tournament still goes merrily on. Fred Corey, with a handicap of 15 points out of a possible 150, is in the lead for first place, having lost only two games out of eighteen played. While J. C. Wiley has not lost any games yet, and has already played eleven, still the chances are more against him, as he has his hardest games to come in the future. The average of play is good, the handicaps being closer than in any previous tournament.

BALDWIN STILL MISSING.

There is Little Likelihood of His Being Prosecuted.

Nothing has yet been heard from Frank L. Baldwin, the missing collection agent. William Teale, his partner, has made a complete examination of the books of the firm, and finds that altogether Baldwin got away with $480 of the firm's money. Fred Teale, the City Auditor and the financial backer of the affair, is firmly convinced that there is some woman in the case. Mr. Teale has known Baldwin for a number of years, and up to the present instance never knew him to do anything dishonorable in any way.

There is every likelihood that the affair will be settled by young Baldwin's family. If the shortage is refunded Mr. Teale will not prosecute the case, being actuated to this by a desire to save young Baldwin's family from any further disgrace on account of the actions of the young man.

Frank L. Baldwin was deputy in the Street Superintendent's office when E. H. Hutchinson was the incumbent, and not under D. H. Watson.

Licensed to Wed.

Eugene Fifield, a native of Maine, aged 24, of San Pedro, and Annie Harrington, a native of California, aged 23, of San Francisco.

Charles H. Halloch, a native of New Jersey, aged 23, and Lois N. Baldwin, a native of Nebraska, aged 18; both of Los Angeles.

Robert C. Jones, aged 19, and Annie E. Roberts, aged 19; both natives of Wales and residents of Los Angeles.

Francisco Ortego, aged 28, and Dolores Martinez, aged 32; both natives of Mexico and residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

FRENCH—In Redlands, April 18, Mrs. Abbie R. French, wife of Charles B. French. Funeral Sunday, 2:30 p.m., at family residence.

BIRTH RECORD.

GRIFFES—April 18, 1896, to the wife of Eugene V. Griffes, of Logan street, a son.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Lewis L. Mitchell, son of L. W. Mitchell, will take place at the East Side Baptist Church this afternoon at 2:30.

FIESTA badges, Campbell's Curio Store.

Children's Leghorn Hats.
Trimmed with all-silk ribbon and flowers
$1.25.
H. HOFFMAN,
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Rheumatism, Catarrh, Dyspepsia and the Most Obstinate Diseases Cured by These Wonderful Little Pellets.

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Mr. J. H. Seeba, Seeba's Exchange, No. 340 Kearny street, San Francisco: "For the benefit of those who suffer from rheumatism, I want to testify to the wonders accomplished by Munyon's Rheumatism Cure in my case. When I asked for a bottle of it at my druggist's, he had none of it in stock, but soon after put in a supply, and when I went after another bottle he informed me that the sale was simply surprising. Of course this encouraged me to continue its use, and today I am entirely free from rheumatic pains, which made my life a burden for so many years. I am not only free from pain, but I can also state truthfully that my general health is much improved by the treatment. Its action on the kidneys, in my case, was extremely gratifying, especially as I had suffered to such an extent from this cause in addition to rheumatism. From actual experience I can state that your homoeopathic pellets are wonder-workers in conquering rheumatism."

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure seldom fails to relieve in one to three hours, and cures in a few days. Price 25c.

Munyon's Dyspepsia Cure is guaranteed to cure all forms of indigestion and stomach troubles. Price 25c.

Munyon's Headache Cure stops headache in three minutes. Price 25c.

Munyon's Liver Cure corrects headache, biliousness, jaundice, constipation and all liver troubles. Price 25c.

Munyon's Kidney Cure speedily cures pains in the back, loins or groins, and all forms of kidney disease. Price 25c.

Munyon's Blood Cure eradicates all impurities of the blood. Price 25c.

Munyon's Cold Cure prevents pneumonia and breaks up a cold in a few hours. Price 25c.

Munyon's Cough Cure stops coughs, night sweats, allays soreness and speedily heals the lungs. Price 25c.

Munyon's Catarrh Remedies never fail. The Catarrh Cure—price 25c—eradicates the disease from the system, and the Catarrh Tablets—price 25c—cleanse and heal the parts.

Munyon's Asthma Cure and Herbs positively relieve asthma in three minutes and cure in five days. Price 50c each.

Munyon's Nerve Cure cures all the symptoms of nervous exhaustion, such as depressed spirits, failure of memory, restless and sleepless nights, pains in the head and dizziness. It stimulates and strengthens the nerves and is a prompt tonic. Price 25c.

Munyon's Blood Cure eradicates all impurities from the blood. Price 25c.

Munyon's Vitalizer imparts new life, restores lost powers to weak and debilitated men. Price 25c.

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Personal letters to Prof. Munyon, No. 1505 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., answered with free medical advice for any disease.

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All of our Watches at Less Than They Cost Us at factory, to close out.

To start the boom we will sell Ladies' Chatelaine Nickel Watches or Oxidized Steel Cases, stem wind and set, former prices, $5.50 to $6; reduced to....$2.95

Ladies' Solid Gold Watches, stem wind and set, former price $20; reduced to....$11.50

The greatest bargain of the age. Never before have I been able to name such a ridiculous low price for a Standard Watch. Large nickel case, stem wind and fully warranted; an acurate timepiece, worth $2.50, for....$1.25

Ladies' or Gents' Elgin or Waltham Gold-filled Case Watches; usual price $15 to $18; reduced to....$8.50

About 500 Solid Gold Rings at less than cost, to close out. See them in our show window.

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Pants made to order from....$5
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The Styles are Complete and Artistic in Every way. All Garments Shrunk Before Cutting.

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Ice Cream Sodo 5c,

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NORTH SPRING STREET

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Your names for our new spring catalogue and samples of dress goods, silks and the new wash fabrics.

Ice Cream and Ices, gal. $1.00

A Grand Fiesta Sale.

The People's Store will add the finishing touches to the great celebration. We will give throughout all this week greater values than ever. We shall outdo the greatest price-lowering records we have ever made. Extraordinary inducements every day in every department. Make the store your headquarters while in the city. Get in touch with the low prices of Fiesta week.

Wash Goods

Beautiful as are the decorations about town, they are tame in comparison with the varieties of this great stock—

A beautiful line of Fancy Striped Seersuckers in all new colors; special price for La Fiesta week, only.......... 7c

A most gorgeous assortment of Fancy Figured Lawns, 30 inches broad, one of the very best values for La Fiesta week sale at............ 10c

New Fancy Striped and Figured Irish Lawns of elegant quality, 40 inches broad; this great La Fiesta week sale price.............. 15c

New Lace Stripe Jaconet Corded Lawns in the most taking stripes and floral designs; all the light summery tints; La Fiesta price............ 20c

Over 1500 pieces of handsome Ginghams, including every one of the new Zephyr styles for this week only at 10c and 15c and up to....... 50c

Dress Goods and Silks.

The Fiesta display will be one of the chief and charming sights for Womankind in all the city, while the prices are quite low enough to make you wonder at our mastery.

25c 150 pieces of elegant wash silks, the usual 35 and 40 cent quality; all the most winsome colors in very handsome stripes; this is a most exceptional offering and by far and away the greatest we have made in silks this year.

50c Think of more than five hundred distinct designs and colors; 20 styles of plaids, 50 styles of fancy mohairs, 100 plain colors, 40 different brocades and so it goes; weaves and colorings till the eye grows weary; think of a stock like this of 50c-stuffs.

75c At no time last year did a dollar begin to do as much as 75c will today; the collection of fancy silks and this price is simply superb, matchless, and to picture the length and breadth of the dress goods at this price would be entirely out of the question. We wish to particularly emphasize the fact that we permit no store in this town or any other to undersell us in silks and dress goods.

Separate Skirts

We are going to prove to our visitors that we are better able to sell at low prices than any store in town—no matter what it costs us.

Navy-blue or black Henrietta Separate Skirts, lined with rustle lining and bound with velvet, as a La Fiesta inducement only for.............. $2.50

Ladies' Fancy Figured Black Mohair Separate Skirts, extra width, rustle lining and bound with velvet—a very exceptional La Fiesta value for.... $3.50

Ladies' all-wool English Serge Separate Skirts, extra width, rustle lined and velvet bound; for La Fiesta's great sale only............... $5.00

Ladies' Elegant Separate Skirts of Black Mohair, with pin stripe of gray, rustle lining, velvet bound and most stylish cut, La Fiesta price......... $7.50

Millinery.

It is only because of our mastery in buying that we are able to offer such values in this Department to the visitors of La Fiesta

Our stock of Sailor Hats runs far ahead of anything you have ever seen; the prices have been blue penciled for La Fiesta sale; every shape and new color, from 35c to $4

For Children's Trimmed Sailor Hats we have always kept the lead; our display for La Fiesta beats anything in town at from 25c to............... $2.25

The tons of flowers that will fade during the Great Feast never dared be more beautiful than our display of Millinery Flowers that don't fade; all kinds that grow, the bunch, from 10c to........ $2

In Ladies' Trimmed Hats we recognize no equals; we have the deserved reputation of the "only Hat store" in town; they run from $2.75 to.......... $20

Shoes

Our principle of giving better shoe-leather values for less money than any other store in town can afford to sell them is just the principle that has made ours the most popular store on the Pacific Coast—Strangers are invited to compare.

Children's one-strap White Kid Slippers with white bow, sizes 5 to 8, special fiesta sale marking only $1.35

Children's Tan Chrome Kid Oxfords, extra well made sizes 5 to 8 and most exceptional values for La Fiesta at........... $1.50

Misses' Vici Kid Button Shoes, slipper foxed, patent-leather tips spring heels, sizes 11 to 2, marked for La Fiesta's great sale at.. $2.00

Dugan & Hudson's Youths' Tan Russia Calf Ironclad Lace Shoes, hand-turned Soles and latest toes, sizes 11 to 2; for............... $2.50

Ladies' Tan Oxfords and Southern Ties, eight distinct lasts in all sizes and widths, most extraordinary value for La Fiesta.......... $2.50

Dugan & Hudson's celebrated Misses' Ironclad button and lace Tan Russia Calf Shoes sizes 11 to 2½, Fiesta trade inducement price $2.50

Ladies' Tan Chrome Kid Button or Lace Shoes in the latest stylish Tokio lasts, a most certain La Fiesta trade winner at....... $3.00

Ladies' Tan Chrome Kid Southern Ties, with Imperial Cloth Tops, hand-turned soles and wood heels; exceptional value for....... $3.50

Down Stairs

This department is fully prepared to furnish the whole town with La Fiesta novelties, such as can be had nowhere else in town; Masks and Lanterns at about half other stores' prices.

Japanese Lanterns in La Fiesta and all colors, size 10x12, and enough to supply the town, for the doz. 75c

Boys' Masks	5c
Grotesque Man and Animal Masks	10c
Cloth Gauze Men and Women Masks	15c
La Fiesta Collar and Nectie Masks	15c
La Fiesta Colored Face Masks	20c
La Fiesta Colored Face and Whiskers	35c
Chinese Mask and Queue	40c

And a thousand and one other kinds at all prices.

Neckwear Novelties

New, exclusive and charming things, especially for the fiesta trade. Dainty laces and bright flashes of color that add so much to a costume. Collars, collarettes, Jabots and Fichus are the very newest, Frenchiest things and at surprisingly interesting prices.

Drugs-Toilet.

If you have any difficulty in securing just what you want in either Drugs, Chemicals, Patent Medicines or Toilet Articles, come here and get what you can't get elsewhere. Come here anyway; we'll make it worth your while in cash and give you the best of the best.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla	60c
Koch's Sarsaparilla	60c
Pinkham's Compound	70c
Wampole's Cod Liver Oil	70c
Koch's Emulsion	75c
Stearn's Cod Liver Oil	75c
Scott's Emulsion	60c
Vino Kolafra	80c
Kola Cardinette	85c
Scott's Celery Compound	75c
Health Tea	20c
Imported Cathartic Salts, small	25c
Imported Cathartic Salts, large	35c
Chamberlain Cough Syrup, small	20c
Chamberlain Cough Syrup, large	75c
Koch's Cough Syrup	25c

Imperial Hair Regenerator	$1.25
8-oz. Bottle Extra Colognes and Toilet Waters	50c
La Cigale Face Cream, per bottle	50c
3-qt. Fountain Syringe	70c
4-qt. Fountain Syringe	75c
Sozodont, per bottle	49c
Cherry Tooth Paste, per tube	20c
8-inch Rubber Comb	15c
Black Rubber Handle Comb	25c
Packer's Tar Soap, per cake	20c
Woodbury's Facial Soap, per cake	15c
Fine Nail Brushes	25c
Pure Steel Manicure Scissors	90c
Curling Irons, 3 sizes, each	5c
Seven Sisters' Hair Grower	75c
Hersutine for the hair	62c

Parasols

It would take volumes to tell of the beauty displayed in this department. We claim the largest assortment and lowest prices in town.

Very latest effects in grass linen parasols with handsome natural wood handles; La Fiesta price................ $1.50

White China Silk Parasols with double silk ruffle and white enameled handles, for only....... $2.00

Art Carpets

This line is unusually complete in all the very latest productions of domestic and foreign makers, and we've made fiesta prices on them all.

7 ft. 6 in. x 9 ft. Art Carpets	$3.25
9 ft. x 9 ft. Art Carpets	$3.95
9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in. Art Carpets	$4.50
9 ft. x 12 ft Art Carpets	$5.00

Children's Reefer Jackets—Duck Suits

We pride ourselves on the immensity of this stock and the lowness of the prices. We challenge the town to match our Children's red or blue Cloth Reefer Jackets at $1, or our immense line Misses' Zouave and Sailor Duck Suits in all the very latest designs and color sorts, ages 4 to 14 years, for from $2 up to.............. $3.75

Boys' Wear

We've gathered together in this department everything that a well-dressed boy requires. Strangers in the city cannot do better than examine this stock. We want your trade and the prices we've made for this occasion are sure to bring results.

We are showing an elegant line of Boys' All-wool Knee Pants that are just suited for hard wear, especially marked for La Fiesta trade 50c

Boys' Washable Striped Duck Sailor Suits, beautifully made with deep collar, a Fiesta trade bringing value for 65c

Boy's Washable Fancy Kilt Suits with combination collar and shield, a most nobby little suit, La Fiesta price only $1.00

Boys' White Duck Blouse Sailor Suits, elegantly made and handsomely braided, the nobbiest suit for La Fiesta times and only $2.00

Boys' Iron Gray Cheviot Reefer Suits with large sailor collar, trimmed with Soutash Braid, a most elegant offering to La Fiesta visitors $2.00

Boys' Prince Imperial Sailor Blouse Suits in Tweed, Cheviot, Serge or Flannel, extraordinary La Fiesta values for $2.00 to $6.50

New style striped duck Blouse Waists with large Sailor Collar and loose cuffs, a most elegant value for La Fiesta times, at 50c

Boys' stylish ruffled Fauntleroy Blouse Waists for Boys, 3 to 7 years old: the kind that will be most worn during La Fiesta, for 50c

Boys' French Percale Shirt Waists with large Sailor Collar and loose cuffs, a special shipment for visiting trade $1.25

Boys' Linen Crash Washable Sailor Suits, the very latest fad, marked especially low for La Fiesta trade $2.00

Some 20 different styles in Boys' Zouave Suits, large assortment of colors and materials that have always sold for $4.50 to $6, now $3.50

New Style Boy's Navy Blue Triple Combination Middy Suits' detachable sailor collars. La Fiesta Price $6.00

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Combine Business With Pleasure

During Fiesta week by saving your railroad or car fare on a purchase from us. We can save you more money than any drug store in Southern California. Every car line leads to our store, and every purchase means a saving of 15c to 40c on every $1.00. The price list tells the story:

Joy's Sarsaparilla ......60c..............old price $1.00
No-To-Bac. ....75c..............old price $1.00
Strychnine, 1 oz......$1.00..............old price $1.25

DRUGS—

Alum, per lb.	10c
Ammonia, per pint	15c
Antikamnia, per oz.	$1.25
Antikamnia Tablets, per doz.	25c
Phenacetine Tablets, per doz.	25c
Borax Powder, per lb.	15c
Moth Balls, per lb.	10c
Precip. Chalk, 2 oz.	5c
Cream Tartar, per lb	40c
Cotton Absorbent, per lb.	35c
Glycerine, per pint	50c
Insect Powder, best, per lb.	40c
Quinine, per oz.	50c
Quinine Pills, 2 gr., per 100	30c
Quinine Pills, 3 gr., per 100	40c
Epsom Salts, per lb.	10c
Rochelle Salts, ¼ lb.	15c
Sugar Milk, 1 lb.	30c
Soda Bi Carb., per lb.	10c
Sulphur, per lb	10c
Witchhazel Ext., qt	40c
Seidlitz Powders, 3 for	10c

	Our Price.	Old Price.
Allcock's Porous Plasters	10	.25
Belladonna Porous Plasters, 3 for	25	.50
Allcock's Corn Plasters	15	.25
Sozodont	50	.75
Rubifoam	20	.25
Calder's Dentine	15	.25
Sheffeld's Dentifrice	1q	.25
Cherry Tooth Paste	35, 50	50, 75
Oriental Tooth Paste	50	.65
Pazzoni or La Blache Powder	30	.40
Swan's Down Powder	10	.20
Ayer's, Carter's, Pierce's, Beecham's, Brandreth or Schenck's Pills	15	.25
William's Pink Pills	35	.58
Cuticura Soap	15	.25
4711 Soap, 2 for	25	.40
Pear's Soap, 2 for	25	.40
Woodbury's Soap	15	.50
Rubber Gloves, per pair	90	$1.50
Rubber Nipples, 3 for	10	.15

PATENT MEDICINES.

	Our Price.	Old Price
Acid Phosphate, Horsford's	40	.50
Tarrant's Selt. Aperi't	40, 75	.50, $1.00
August Flower	60	.75
Hostetter's Bitters	85	$1.00
Orange Blossom, McGill's	75	1.00
Mariani Wine Coca	$1.00	1.25
Fellow's Syrup	1.00	1.50
Pinkham's Compound	75	1.00
Pierce's Fav. Prescription	75	1.00
Pierce's Gol. Med. Discov'y	75	1.00
Hall's Catarrh Cure	50	.75
Schiffman's Asth. Cure	40, 75	.50, $1.00
Cuticura Resolvent	75	1.00
Cuticura Salve	40	50
Kennedy's Medical Discovery	$1.15	$1.50
Scott's Emulsion	65	1.00
Phillips's Emulsion	75	1.00
Chocolate Emulsion	85	1.00
Tarrant's Extract Malt	25	35
Hoff's Extract Malt	25	35
Malt Nutrine, Malt	20	25
Hospital Tonic, Malt	20	25
Malted Milk	40, 75, $3.00	50, $1, $3.75
Mellin's Food	35, 55	50, 75
Nestle's Food	40	50
Condensed Milk, Eagle	15	20
Robinson's Patent Barley	15, 30	20, 40
Ayer's or Hood's Sarsaparilla	65	$1.00
Beef, Wine and Iron	50	1.00
Listerine	75	1.00
3 H Liniment	40	.50
St. Jacob's Oil	35	.50
Wizard Oil	40, 75	.50, $1.00
Miles's Nervine	75	1.00
Miles's Heart Cure	75	1.00
Hunyadi Water	25	.40
Veronica Water	40	.50
Castoria	25	.35

Fountain Syringes or Hot Water Bottles, 2-qt., 60c; 3-qt., 65c; 4-qt., 70c.

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Electric Belts At half price—$25 Belts for $12.50; $15 Belts for $7.50; $10 Belts for $5. These Galvanic Body Batteries produce a very powerful current, and are as durable and well made as any belt on the market. Call and examine them before buying.

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You cannot get through the week without a Parasol.

See our new line of 24-inch changeable Silk Parasols, all colors, Dresden handles — $4 and $5
Printed Warp Silk Parasols, best styles, canopy top — $5, $6, $7 and $9

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Children's Silk Mitts and Taffeta Gloves — 25c
Misses' Silk Gloves, staple shades, also a line of Elbow Lengths Opera Shades — 50c
Ladies' Dog-skin and Mocha Gauntlets — $1 and $1.50
A complete line of Kayser Patent Finger Tipped Silk Gloves in black, gray and brown.

Everything New In Ladies' Neckwear.

Black and Colored Satin Tecks — 25c and 50c
Wash Ties, all styles — 10c to 25c
Ladies' Brown Linen Fancy Neckwear that will please you. Fans in endless variety.

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ST. LOUIS UP TO DATE.

NEW FACTS ABOUT THE CONVENTION HALL GATHERED ON THE GROUND FROM THE ARCHITECT.

Two Hundred Thousand Tickets and How They Will Be Distributed—A Beautiful Souvenir—Graphic Pen Pictures of the Interior of the Hall. The Demands of the Newspapers and the Immense Daily Telegraphic Outfit—St. Louis' Railway Facilities.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

ST. LOUIS, April 16, 1896.—I have come from Washington to St. Louis to give you a bird's-eye view of matters relating to the Republican convention. I am fortunate in having been here at the same time Col. Joe Manley, the leader of the Reed forces; Col. William H. Hahn, McKinley's chief aide de camp; Gen. Clarkson, the head of the Allison movement, and Senator Carter, who is for the Republican party in general. These men have just held several secret sessions, and they have materially changed a number of things which had been considered settled. They have altered the architectural plans of the hall, and the plans already published in the newspapers have been modified to make them better suited to the purposes of the convention. The sketch sent with this letter shows the convention building as it will be actually when completed. The ground has been broken, the foundations are laid, and a large gang of laborers are now busy putting it up. I went out to look at the work this morning. The building is not far from the Union Depot, and within five minutes' ride of the leading hotels. It is just next to the new City Hall, and is accessible on two sides by street car lines, which connect it with every part of the city. When I visited it hundreds of laborers were at work. A steam sawmill was merrily screeching as it cut the lumber which is soon to resound with the clapping of tens of thousands of enthusiastic hands. A hundred hammers were pounding nails, and a hundred odd carpenters were cutting and fitting the great timbers into place. The work goes on rapidly. It must go very rapidly in order that the hall be finished in time. It will be completed within two months, and when finished it will look as solid as though it had consumed a year in building. It is, you know, to be covered with staff, the same material as that which formed the outside of the World's Fair structures at Chicago. This material will be nailed on to the woodwork in square blocks, making the convention hall look like marble, save that its outside steps will be of wood.

THE CONVENTION HALL.

The expense of the building will, you know, be paid by St. Louis. It will cost $70,000. The architect's contract is for $62,500, but at least $7500 more will be required to finish up the interior. Notwithstanding this, the building will have a life of only six months. It is being erected on land devoted to the new city hall, and the contract provides that every bit of it shall be removed by October 1.

Let us stop a moment and take a look at this $70,000 sacrifice on the altar of party politics. First, its surroundings. It will be a palace rising out of a lot of two-story shabby buildings of brick and frame. It will have as its architectural brother the magnificent new City Hall, of granite and terra cotta brick, which has cost more than $1,000,000, and which is one of the finest public buildings of the United States. The City Hall and the convention building occupy one large square containing, I judge, about four acres of ground. The elevation is about six feet above the street, and there is quite a large space running about the buildings between them and the sidewalk. The shabby houses I spoke of are on the opposite side of the streets surrounding the City Hall block. They look like second-class lodging-houses. At one corner there is a saloon, and just opposite the main side of the convention hall there is a vacant lot, fenced by a ragged billboard, plastered over with pictorial advertisements of "rolled" oats, plug tobacco and special brands of whisky.

The building will cover more than an acre of ground.

Do you know how big an acre is?

Many city blocks are not so large. Well, the convention building will cover considerably more than an acre, and it will look like a great four-story marble building with an extra story or canopy rising from its top in the shape of a ridge roof. This canopy will be made of plates of glass set in frames. It will be nearly half an acre in area, and will cover the space in the center of the convention hall, which has been assigned to the delegates and the alternates. It will be so made that the glass can be raised, giving the hall perfect light and thorough ventilation almost as though it was roofed by the sky. In addition to this, there will be a series of ventilating fans, which will keep the air within the hall in constant motion. The sides of the hall will have many windows, and there will be more than one hundred exits and entrances. It is estimated that the hall could be emptied within five minutes if a panic should occur.

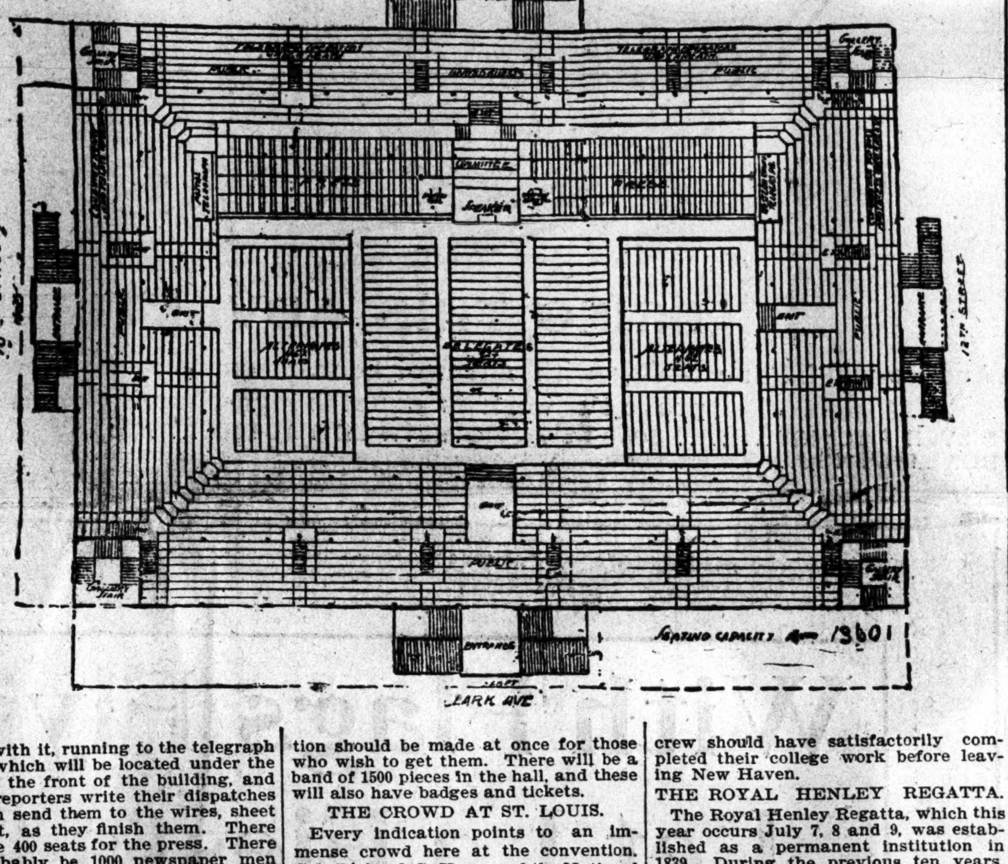
In going over the plans with one of the architects I asked as to the strength of the structure. He told me there was no danger whatever of its not being able to hold the people, and to stand any kind of a strain. "It is," said he, "six times as strong as it need be, and everything will be built in the most substantial manner. It will be entirely of wood, but a brigade of firemen will be constantly on hand with their engines steaming, and the least sign of fire will be detected by the watchmen."

THE SEATING CAPACITY.

The hall will seat 13,601 persons. It will have, it is said, the largest seating capacity of any building ever erected for a convention, with, perhaps, the exception of the hall in which James A. Garfield was nominated in 1880. This is said to have had 15,000 seats. The Minneapolis convention hall had about 11,000, and a great part of the view in that hall was shut off by posts and pillars. There will be no such posts in this hall. I am told that every seat will be a good one, and that the acoustic properties of the hall—by means of great sounding-boards—will be such that all can hear. Each seat will be a chair, and about 14,000 chairs will be bought for the occasion. The seats will be arranged in the shape of a rectangular amphitheater. They will rise up on four sides of the square pit which forms the ground floor, and which is occupied by the delegates and the alternates. This pit will be about one-half an acre in size. In the middle, in three great blocks or rows of chairs, with aisles running through them, will sit 924 delegates, those from each State being together. The States will be allotted seats in alphabetical order, beginning with Alabama and Arkansas to the right of the speaker, and ending with the States beginning with W, the place of each State being marked by a pole with a little flag bearing its name. On the right and left of the delegates in the pit will be the seats for the alternates, and on the four sides of the pit, rising to the back walls of the building, in two great banks of seats, will sit the spectators. The floor and the lower bank will seat about 8000 people. The upper bank, which is a gallery about forty feet wide, running around the hall and extending back up to the roof, will seat 6000. At the time of the convention the delegates will thus be surrounded by banks of gaily-dressed humanity. They will be enclosed, is it were, by hanging-gardens of fashionable women and distinguished men—gardens more wonderful than the hanging-gardens of Babylon.

THE OFFICERS AND THE PRESS.

In front of the delegates and alternates, on a platform about as high as a table, will sit the chairman, or president, of the convention, with the secretaries and tally clerks on each side of him. Back of them will be the national committee and the distinguished men of the party, while on each side of the president, and a little lower down, will be the tables for the workingmen of the press. Each press table will accommodate several men. Each table will have a pneumatic tube connected with it, running to the telegraph offices, which will be located under the seats at the front of the building, and as the reporters write their dispatches they can send them to the wires, sheet by sheet, as they finish them. There are to be 400 seats for the press. There will probably be 1000 newspaper men at the convention, but these seats are for those who are doing telegraphic work, and not for drones and fancy writers. Arrangements are being made with the telegraphic companies to handle a large amount of matter. Estimating that 400 papers of the United States will take an average of three columns, or 5000 words, a day from the convention, the wires will be loaded down with at least 2,000,000 words daily. One of the volumes of Blaine's book contains, I judge, about 300,000 words. The matter sent out from this convention daily would, if published, make about ten volumes of that size.



THE CONVENTION SEATS AND HOW TO GET THEM.

I have spent some time at St. Louis with the Hon. T. M. Byrnes of Minneapolis. Mr. Byrnes was the sergeant-at-arms at the Minneapolis convention. He has been chosen the sergeant-at-arms of this convention, and he is by all odds the most important man just now connected with it. He has to do with the seating of the crowd and has entire charge of the tickets. All press men must take their applications to him, and they will be forwarded to a press committee here. Mr. Byrnes will have the custody of the tickets as soon as they are printed, and through his kindness I was able to get a sight of the wash drawings from which the tickets will be engraved. These drawings have been kept a secret. No tickets will be given out for fear they may be counterfeited. Tickets to a convention like this are worth money. Good seats to the Minneapolis convention sold for $100 and upward, some bringing $125, and there will be a large number offered for sale at St. Louis. Mr. Byrnes will have an immense vault in the convention hall for the storing of the tickets. He is responsible for them to the national committee, and has to account for every one of them. There will be a big army of police on hand at the time, and only those having tickets will get in.

TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND TICKETS.

Two hundred thousand tickets will be printed. This will make a bulk big enough to fill a good-sized cart. This number is estimated on the ground that there might possibly be three sessions each day and that the convention may last five days. One ticket is printed for each session, and 14,000 tickets a day for fifteen sessions would require 210,000 tickets. There will not be this many sessions a day, but the convention may last longer than five days. The contract for printing the tickets is an important one, and is worth considerable money. The big engraving companies of New York and St. Louis competed for it, but a St. Louis company got the job, having underbid the New York companies, I understand, more than $1000. The tickets are being engraved by Woodward & Tiernan of this city, who were able to underbid the eastern companies by being the owners and inventors of a new printing press, which will print the finest of steel plate engravings by machinery.

Heretofore all such work has been done by hand. The tickets to the convention will, I think, be the most beautiful ones ever made for a convention. The engraving upon them will be as fine as that of a bank note, and, as there is a ticket to each session with a single coupon upon it, every man who goes into the convention will be able to keep his ticket as a souvenir. The ticket, the artist's drawing of which I saw, is about the width of a column of a newspaper and about the length of a postal card. On the back of it there is a picture of the convention hall. On the front, the left half of the card has a beautiful engraving of St. Louis, showing the bridge over the Mississippi, while on the lower right-hand corner there is a little engraving of the log cabin in which Gen. Grant lived on his farm near St. Louis when he was poor and unknown and hauled wood into St. Louis for sale. On the face of the ticket will be engraved the words "Republican National Convention, 1896, Joseph Manley, chairman," and also the words "Guest's ticket," or "Delegate's ticket," or "Press ticket," as the case may be.

HOW THE TICKETS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED.

Three thousand five hundred of these tickets are to be given to the Business Men's League of St. Louis, through whom the money for building the hall was secured. Each of the 924 delegates will have three tickets, and each of the alternates will have, I think—though I am not sure—only one. The best chance for visitors to the convention to get tickets will be through their delegates, or, if they have friends in the Southern States, by writing to them and asking them to try and work the matter through southern delegates whom they know, as the southern visitors will be camparatively few. Five hundred tickets are to be given to the Grand Army of the Republic. In addition to these there will be a number of people who will be admitted as employés of the convention. Orders have been given for the printing of 4000 badges, about one-half of which go to the delegates, alternates and national committeemen. Nine hundred press badges are being made, and there will be a lot of badges for distinguished guests and other notables. All tickets will be issued Monday, June 15, at the convention hall, but application should be made at once for those who wish to get them. There will be a band of 1500 pieces in the hall, and these will also have badges and tickets.

THE CROWD AT ST. LOUIS.

Every indication points to an immense crowd here at the convention. Col. Richard C. Kerens of the National Committee and Senator Tom Carter each estimate that there will be at least 150,000 strangers in St. Louis at that time, and there is a probability that this number will be exceeded. There will be at least fifty thousand from Missouri. Col. Hahn tells me that there will be from twenty to twenty-five thousand here from Ohio, and that Cleveland will send a delegation for McKinley of at least three thousand. From fifteen to twenty thousand people are expected from Iowa to shout for Allison, and among these will be 1000 men who will ride into the city on white horses. The question of taking care of these 1000 white horses will not be a great one for St. Louis, for people say that this is the largest horse and mule market in the world, and they could stable 10,000 such animals. There will be 10,000 men from Indianapolis and its surroundings. Col. Manley tells me there will be a large delegation from Maine and that there will be thousands of Republicans here from New England to shout for Thomas B. Reed. About five thousand are expected from Chicago. New York, it is said, will send 5000, and I am told that in all the States special cars and trains are being engaged by the different clubs and by private parties.

RAILROAD FACILITIES.

St. Louis is peculiarly favored as to railroad facilities. The country surrounding her is thickly populated. Twenty-six great railroads center here, and the Union Depot is said to be the largest in the world. It is certainly the finest depot in the United States, and the roads running into it have, it is said, a mileage greater than that of all the railroads of England and France combined. The cars are all backed into the depot in such way as to leave the engines outside, and the smoke of the ordinary station is thus avoided. There is a big corps of messengers about the station. It has a barber shop and a hotel connected with it. It is, in fact, a little city in itself, having a postoffice, a book store, dining and lunch rooms, and more other side establishments than any other depot I have ever entered. The street cars come right to the depot, and the visitors for a day can go directly to the convention hall. The railroads will, it is thought, charge only one fare for the round trip to St. Louis and return.

In addition to the railroads there will be a large number of steamers to bring visitors from up and down the river. It is estimated that there will be 500 passenger trains going in and out of the depot daily during the time of the convention, and it is safe to say that there will be no trouble in landing the 150,000 people expected.

A more important consideration, however, will be the taking care of them. How St. Louis will do this, what it will cost a man to stay at the convention, and something of the arrangements which the city has made for housing the guests, I will write in my next letter.

FRANK G. CARPENTER.

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YALE CREW IN TRAINING.

THE FAMOUS COACH WILL ACCOMPANY THE CREW TO ENGLAND.

Walter Camp Tells of the Coming Contest for the Grand Challenge Cup and of the Men Who Will "Pull, Pull Together" for the Glory of Old Elihu and Country—Bob Cook Has His Men Well in Hand.

(From a Special Correspondent of The Times.)

NEW HAVEN (Ct.,) April 13.—For the first time in twenty years the two slim eight-oared shells of Harvard and Yale will fail next summer to lie side by side awaiting the referee's word to "Go!" Instead, Harvard will be in the race with Columbia, Cornell and Pennsylvania, while Yale will be at Henley. Whatever the merits of the quarrel between Yale and Harvard, it has resulted in two very interesting tests being made, first, a test of Harvard rowing against that of four other American universities with whom for a number of years she has not rowed; and second, a test of Yale's rowing as compared with that of representatives of a school from which, in the '70s, Robert J. Cook brought back principles enabling Yale to make such an enviable record in her eight-oared races. Harvard having refused the annual race with Yale, and the latter receiving no invitation to compete in the general regatta, the boating authorities at New Haven determined to invade England and enter a crew in the Henley Royal Regatta in July. The approval of the university faculty was obtained, with the stipulation that the members of the crew should have satisfactorily completed their college work before leaving New Haven.

THE ROYAL HENLEY REGATTA.

The Royal Henley Regatta, which this year occurs July 7, 8 and 9, was established as a permanent institution in 1839. During the previous ten years, various eight-oared matches had been rowed on the river Thames, and at this date the citizens of Henley contributed 100 guineas for the grand challenge cup to be contested for annually by eight-oared crews. Since then other trophies have been added, as follows: For eight oars, the Town challenge cup in the same year (1839,) the Ladies' challenge cup in 1845, the Thames challenge cup in 1868; for four oars, the Stewards' challenge cup in 1842, the Visitors' challenge cup in 1847, and the Wyfold challenge cup (which is rowed without a cockswain,) in 1855; for pair oars, the Silver Goblets in 1845; the Wingfield sculls in 1830, and the Diamond challenge sculls in 1844.

For a time the English University eights used to compete in these races, but in later years the "intervarsity" contest at Putney has been considered of more importance and it was practically impossible to collect the eight best men of each university for two races in the year. As a rule, the crews which meet at Henley are lighter and composed of men of greater activity than those selected for the university crew. This year's race between Oxford and Cambridge was an instance, showing the value of superior endurance in the long stretch of the Putney course. Cambridge showed greater finish and speed, and was fancied by many as the winner; but although the light blue secured the lead, and even stretched that lead out to two lengths, they were rowed down in the last mile by their stronger rivals, and crossed the line a quarter of a length behind. Many of the university oars, in past years, however, have later been found among the members of the competing crews at Henley, which are always of first-class standing, and for such a short distance represent comparatively well the ability of the university oarsmen. These races are the only ones in which first-class racing boats of all descriptions have been contending for a long succession of years, and the Henley Regatta has come to be considered the leading event of the year in English boating circles.

THE GRAND CHALLENGE CUP.

The contest for the grand challenge cup is the most important event in the regatta, and usually attracts a large number of entries with a very close spirited competition, and it is for this event that Yale has entered her crew. The following extracts from the rules governing the regatta show the principal conditons under which crews may compete in this race:

"Any crew of amateurs who are members of a university or public school, or who are officers of Her Majesty's army or navy, or any amateur club established at least one year previous to the day of entry shall be qualified to contest for the grand challenge cup.

"The entry of any crew outside of the United Kingdom must be made on or before March 31, and must be accompanied by a declaration stating that each person entering has never taken part in open competition for a stake money or entrance fee has never knowingly competed fith or against a professional; has never taught athletic exercises of any kind for profit; has never been employed in manual labor, and never has been a mechanic or laborer."

BOB COOK, TRAINER.

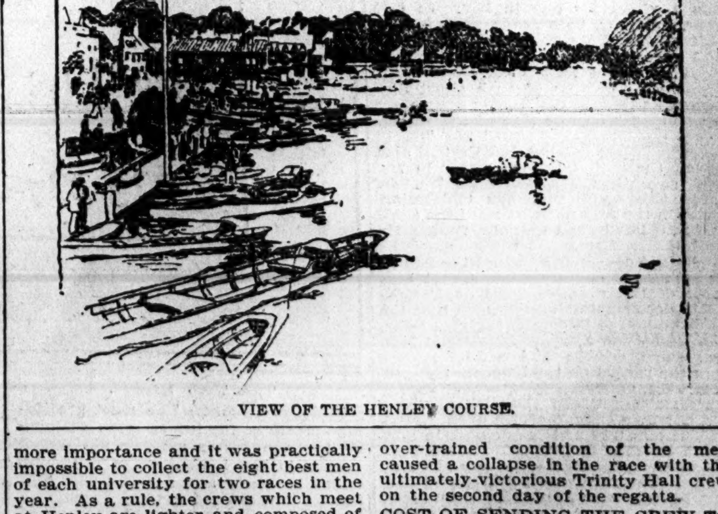
It is said that last year the Cornell crew regretted not having entered for one of the four-oared contests as well as for the grand challenge cup, and it was suggested that the Yale management consider the advisability of such a step. The different races, however, necessitate such extremely different kinds of preparation that it was not considered feasible or wise to attempt more than one contest.

The course of the race begins at about a mile and two thirds above Henley, and is one mile and five hundred and fifty yards in length. The river at this point is very straight, but only wide enough for two crews to race at a time, thus causing the contest to be raced in heats.

FOUR UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPTS BY AMERICAN CREWS.

American college crews have already rowed in English regattas on four different occasions. The first attempt was made by Harvard, who in 1869 rowed against a crew from Oxford in four-oared shells on the Putney four-mile course. The Americans took the lead at the start and held the lead for two miles. At this point they began to show signs of exhaustion, brought on by over-training, and the Oxford crew slowly crept ahead, finishing with a lead of about two lengths.

The second occasion of an American college crew rowing on English waters was at the regatta of 1878, when a four-oared crew from Columbia College captured the visitors' challenge cup by defeating the crews of Dublin University, and those of University and Hertford colleges at Oxford. This race was won in 8m. 42s. and is the only instance when an American crew has been victorious in an English regatta. In 1881 Cornell sent a crew to Henley which was defeated. A second attempt was made by this same college in the summer of 1895, when the over-trained condition of the men caused a collapse in the race with the ultimately-victorious Trinity Hall crew on the second day of the regatta.



VIEW OF THE HENLEY COURSE.

COST OF SENDING THE CREW TO ENGLAND.

It is roughly estimated that the entire cost of sending the Yale crew to England will amount to about $10,000. Of this amount something over $3000 has been raised by subscriptions from the freshman and sophomore classes, and it is expected that the remainder will be obtained from the junior and senior classes, the Financial Union and the graduates.

The crew with the substitutes will sail on June 6 on the American line steamer Berlin, bound for Southampton, and will be accompanied by Robert J. Cook, '76, as coach. Five staterooms have been engaged in the waist of the ship, and the two shells will be taken on the same boat. During their entire stay at Henley the men will be quartered in a quiet clubhouse near the town. They have been granted the privileges of the Grosvenor Club of London, which has grounds at Henley.

Since the beginning of February, the crew has devoted all its efforts toward

preparing for the Henley contest. The work was performed entirely in the tank until March 7, when for the first time the barges were launched in the harbor. There are now two eights in training, but these will be cut down in April. They are as follows:

First crew—Stroke, Langford, '97, S, weight, 175; age, 19; height, 6-1; fitted at St. Paul's High School.

No. 7—Treadway, '96, weight, 173; age 21; height, 5-11½; fitted at Phillips Academy, Exeter.

No. 6—Longacre, '96; weight, 182; age, 22; height, 6-½; fitted at Pennsylvania Charter School.

No. 5—Bailey, '97; weight, 176; age, 22; height, 6; fitted at Hartford High School.

No. 4—Rodgers; '98; weight, 182; age, 21; height, 6; fitted at Phillips Academy, Andover.

No. 3—Beard, '96; weight, 182; age, 20; height, 5-9; fitted at Hopkins Grammar School.

No. 2—Brown, '96; weight, 171; age, 23; height, 6-1; fitted at St. Paul's School.

No. 1—Simpson, '97; weight, 163; age, 21; height, 5-11; fitted at St. Paul's School.

Average—176⅜ pounds, 21 years 1½ months; height, 6 feet.

SECOND CREW.

Stroke—Rogers, '98; weight, 165; age, 19; height, 6; fitted at King's School.

No. 7—Marsh, '98; weight, 172; age, 20; height, 6; fitted at Williston Seminary.

No. 6—Coonley, '96; weight, 176; age 21; height, 6; fitted at Phillips Academy, Andover.

No. 5—Sutphin, '97; weight, 185; age, 20; height, 5-11½; fitted at Franklin School, Cincinnati.

No. 4—Mills, '97; weight, 170; age, 20; height, 5-11; fitted at St. Paul's School.

No. 3—Judd, '97; weight, 173; age, 19; height, 5-11; fitted at Punahon School, (H. I.)

No. 2—Whitney, '98; weight, 173; age, 19; height, 5-11; Groton School.

No. 1—Miller, '97; weight, 162; age, 21; height, 5-8; fitted at St. Paul's School.

There is a warm contest going on for the final places, and, although the veterans, such as Langford and Treadway, Longacre and Beard are sure of places, the others on the first crew are on trial, as it were, and closely pushed by their rivals. Fortunately, Rogers can stroke the crew, as can also Simpson and Campbell, so that the loss of a man like Langford, which in some years would have completely ruined all chances, can be repaired, should it occur.

TREADWAY OF YALE, CAPTAIN.

TIME RECORDS OF THE PAST.

The fastest time ever made over the Henley course is 6m. 51s., this record being held by the Leander Club race of 1891. The slowest time in which a race has been won was made in 1840 by the Leander Club crew, 9m. 15s. The average time made by the winners during the fifty-seven years of the regatta's existence is 8m., but during the last ten years the average is nearly fifty seconds faster than this, and shows more nearly what time Yale must make this summer in order to win under ordinary conditions of wind and water. In fact, as the rough water in '92 and '93 made the time of finals very slow, 7m. 48½s. in '92, and 7m. 45s. in '93, the usual time of the winner has for the last ten years been far better than 7m. 10s. Three times it has been won under 7m., and six times under 7m. 10s., in the last decade.

AVERAGE WEIGHT OF HENLEY CREWS.

The average weight of the winning Oxford eight over the Putney course this year was 175 pounds. The average weight of the Cornell crew last year, upon leaving for England, was 163½ pounds, and at the time of rowing the race, 167⅜. One of the most noted of Cornell crews was Ostrom's, at Saratoga, in 1876. That crew averaged 159 pounds, was only 5 feet 9¼ inches in height, but nearly 23 years of average age. Thus, it will be seen that, although Yale is sending over what would be classed as a heavy crew, they will probably not be any heavier than either the Oxford or Cambridge crews of this year. The weights of the Oxford crew given a few days before the race was nearer 177, and Cambridge 174 and a fraction. The records of the Yale-Harvard eight-oared contests show that beef is not an essential even in a four-mile race, for one of the heaviest crews that either ever sent out was that of Yale in 1882, which averaged 177½ pounds, and was beaten by a Harvard crew weighing 50 pounds less, by three seconds. The next heaviest crew of Yale was, however, a 176½-pound crew and a victorious one in 1881. In this year, however, both crews used a very fast stroke, Yale going as high as 48, and never less than 42, while Harvard went up above 40.

The time records of such short distances as that of the Henley course are very meager on this side of the water. Cornell last year rowed in 7m. in practice before leaving, but Cornell also rowed the actual Henley water in 7m. 10s. several times, and once 7m. 4s. before their condition began to deteriorate. On the American Thames the third half mile has been a fast one, frequently well under 2½m. It must also be taken into consideration that the American Thames course is not a fast one, some of the practice pulls at Poughkeepsie convincing boating men that the Hudson course is considerably quicker. The best time at New London is 20m. 10s., some minute and a half slower than the record on the English Thames. The only opportunity granted us for comparison between English oarsmen and our own college crews upon American waters was at Philadelphia in 1876. There on the Schuylkill Cook's Yale crew won against First Trinity of Cambridge. The race was a four-oared one, and Kennedy stroked the Yale crew, with Cook in the bow and Collin and Kellogg in the waist. The time was 9m. 10¾s.

The great concern of the management of the Yale interests will be to prevent the change of climate having a deteriorating effect upon the condition of the crew. Mr. Cook will have them in good shape when they step on board their steamer here, and, after they land every effort will be made to put them on the line "fit." If they go there in condition and have any luck in drawing, their opponents will have a race and "may the best crew win" is the sentiment of all.

WALTER CAMP.

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Rev. W. H. Milburn, the blind chaplain of the United States Senate, was one of the most popular lecturers in the "lyceum days." It is noted of Mr. Milburn that he was first elected a Congressional chaplain in December, 1845, fifty-one years ago. He was then 22 years of age, and the youngest man whose voice has ever been heard in Congress before or since that date.

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The Two Rivals.

(Chicago Record:) The most gratifying feature of the information set forth by the canvassers making the school census is the indication of a growth which is steady and natural. The census of 1894 showed a total population of 1,567,727. Taking the percentage of increase for one of the fairly representative wards of the city and applying it to the whole population an estimate based on the present census, as far as it has been completed, would show a total of about 1,715,000. But it is the testimony of those in charge of the work that this is an underestimate, and there is every likelihood that in the final count Chicago will have proof that it has 1,750,000 inhabitants.

These figures do not quite place the city on a par with New York, which, in its last census, counted 1,801,739. New York now makes a claim to over 2,000,000. If her claim is justified she still has a small degree of advantage which is greatly offset by the comparatively slower rate of her growth. In two years Chicago's population has increased about 10 per cent. In four years—the date of the New York census was 1892—the eastern metropolis has gained in but little more than half the same proprtion. If the two cities continue at their present rate of growth it is a fair assumption that Chicago in 1898 will have 2,000,000, standing on the plane of equality with the original New York city.

In the race for first place, however, New York has annexed a considerable section of the Atlantic seaboard, the population of this ection by the census being 2,985,000, and by the estimate of the New Yorkers 3,100,000. When Greater New York has become a reality it wil lthus have a long lead on its only competitor. But this nominal increase can be regarded with complacence in Chicago, where, in the course of two years of depression and comparative inactivity, the city has made a splendid bound forward without the aid of annexation or consolidation or any temporary cause of increase.

MEN.

Lewis G. Stevenson, son of Vice-President Stevenson, arrived in San Francisco the other day from the East, whither he went several months ago to regain his health. He is entirely recovered.

The Emperor of China has two names, a private or personal name, "Tsai-Tien," which, however, according to the demands of Chinese etiquette, is never spoken. It may be written but in reading the reader must use a synonym in pronouncing it. The Emperor's public name is Kwang-su, which means "illustrious succession."

Prime Minister Salisbury is a direct, ponderous and earnest speaker. He never attempts oratorical flights. He weighs nearly as much as President Cleveland and wears as large a hat as "Tom" Reed.

Senator Wolcott of Colorado has the reputation of being the finest billiard player in either house of Congress. Sherman, of Ohio, old as he is, plays a very strong game.

Cecil Rhodes is said to hate women, particularly white ones. His alleged reason for this dislike is his dread of their power for ferreting our information and their curiosity about matters he wants to keep secret.

Lord Rosebery is considered one of the handsomest men in England. 'You cannot make a caricature of Rosebery," remarked an English cartoonist recently. "His features are too regular."

Miss Alice Luce, a graduate of Wellesley, has just obtained the degree of doctor of philosophy, multa cum laude, from the University of Gottingen, after two years of philological studies at Leipsic, and a semester at Gottingen. She is the fourth woman to receive the doctor's degree at that university.

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TELEPHONE 1113 BLACK.

There is to be introduced to us this week at our local vaudeville playhouse an artist in ventriloquism who is said to be a world-beater. A Chicago paper said of him the other day:

"The funniest Frenchman Chicago has seen in a long time is a pleasant-faced little man who is giving nightly entertainments at the Imperial Theater on the North Side. He is known as M. Segomer, and he has brought over from Paris the latest sensations that delighted the patrons of the music halls where Yvette Guilbert made her reputation. He calls himself the 'animal talker,' and he makes a small menagerie laugh, speak, and sing on the stage. Tigers, elephants, dogs, bulls, parrots, pigs, caper and roll their eyes as they speak in a language that is understood by everybody. Men and women sing funny songs and tell funny stories, and make faces at the animals. One of them, a darky, plays tunes on a flute and keeps perfect time with his feet and head, and rolls his eyes so naturally that he is easily mistaken for a human being. All of M. Segomer's animals and men and women are merely dummies, made in his own workshop in Paris with his own hands, but he transforms them by his wonderful magic into living things.

"Many of the tricks are performed while the magician is out of sight, and by the novel and ingenious use of electricity the most startling and comical effects are produced. A one-legged soldier walks out on the stage with crutches, and sings a patriotic song in a tender, quavering voice, holds out his hat for alms, and walks off. An old man and woman sing a duet, and the tiger and the elephant join in the chorus.

"Meanwhile, M. Segomer moves around the stage among his pets, directing in a general way, but apparently taking no actual part in the performance. This little Frenchman came over from Paris a month ago, and spent three weeks in New York. Like Yvette, he is in a state of great wonder at the liberality and appreciation of Americans.

"'O, ze Americane! He is reech everywhere,' he said. 'He spend as much money in one night as a Frenchman spend in one week. In New York he clap loud all ze time, and one, two, three times in one night he trow forty, feefty franc on ze stage. Ze Frenchman he not do zat. I get reech in vaire queek time in America. O, yes, I lofe ze Americane! He so easy to—what you call—labor? ah, no! so easy to work—to deliver up! He make me vaire happy!'"

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Peter F. Dailey comes to the Los Angeles Theater for five nights and matinées Thursday and Saturday, commencing Tuesday evening, April 21, with his latest success, "The Night Clerk." In this piece, judging from all reports, Mr. Daily has made a great success. Some idea of the very amusing situations may be gathered from the following:

The first act opens in the bachelor apartments of Owen More and Lord Willie Wilt. Young More has been disinherited by her father, and Barney Brogan, a friend of the elder More, out of sympathy for the younger fellow, comes on the scene disguised as a valet. William Lumber, an actor, gets possession of a package of compromising letters written by his wife, Adelaide Starr, to Owen More, and after the appearance of an antiquated spinster and a couple of policemen, the scene ends with the arrests of nearly all the principal characters.

In the second act Owen More impersonates the captain of the Police Station to which the culprits are brought, and in the process of searching them, assigning them to their cells and the like introduces a great deal of absurdly funny business, meanwhile getting back the compromising letters stolen in the first act. These in turn pass to Barney Brogan and from him to the antiquated spinster who is in love with him, and some very funny situations are the result.

The scene of the third act represents the interior of the Hotel Blase, in New York City. Here Owen More is found as the night clerk, and all the characters are brought in by the cross-purposes of the story. The hotel is the property of Barney Brogan, and the Adelaide Starr Theatrical Company is engaged to give an entertainment on the roof garden of the building. After the letters have caused unlimited trouble, a clever device of the advance agent of the Adelaide Starr Company unravels the tangled skein and the curtain falls on everybody happy.

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Fiesta week will be the last of the Carleton Opera Company's engagement in this city. For four weeks this excellent organization has held the boards at the Burbank and never in the history of local theatricals have such thoroughly good performances been given at popular prices. That the people appreciate the efforts of Managers Carleton and Cooper has been proven by the way in which the attendance has kept up throughout the extended season. At no time have either of the gentlemen named spared either expense or endeavor when a pleasing point could be gained. New scenery has been put in, new costumes purchased and endless rehearsals gone through with to get the operas produced in shape for the public's gratification. No less than seven different operas have been sung: "Fra Diavolo," "The Bohemian Girl," "The Lily of Killarney," "Mikado," "The Charity Girls," "Pinafore" and "Nanon."

During the coming week the entire repertoire will be repeated. Tonight "Mikado," Gilbert & Sullivan's unique and always popular oriental jingle will be rendered, followed on Monday evening by Balfe's masterpiece, "The Bohemian Girl." Because of the fiesta matinées will be given on Tuesday and Thursday, instead of Wednesday and Saturday. At the Tuesday afternoon performance the "Mikado" will be the bill, and Tuesday evening Auber's "Fra Diavolo" will be rendered. On Wednesday evening, "Nanon" will be presented for the last time. Thursday matinée will witness the final performance of "The Bohemian Girl," and Thursday night "Pinafore," which has delighted its many hearers during the past week, will be heard again, and finally. Friday evening "The Mikado" will make its farewell bow, and on Saturday the engagement will close with "Fra Diavolo." Sunday evening an extra performance, a grand farewell, consisting of the gems of song from the various operas will be given. This will be a fitting finale to one of the most successful operatic seasons, both financially and artistically, ever given in this city.

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The management of the Orpheum announces the greatest bill in the history of this house for the week of fiesta, or as Manager Petrich puts it, "it will be a fiesta of the best things gathered from the world's vaudeville fields."

A notable feature will be the initial appearance of the great Segomer, who is noticed at length in the introduction of this department of The Times. The Nawns, who made such a hit while here last year have been brought from New York purposely to appear at the Orpheum during fiesta week. They will present their great comedy sketch entitled "One Touch of Nature," which gives this great pair good opportunity to display their ability as comedians and fun-makers.

It is thought that La Belle Carmen, the beautiful Spanish dancer, will make something of a sensation in her unique dances and her gyrations on the tight wire. Her dancing is said to be as bewitching as she is beautiful in face and figure. In San Francisco she has been quite as much the fad among society people as the great Carmenceta was in New York.

Adonis Ames, the elastic acrobat, sensational balancer and hand-dancer, will appear in his novel acts. Mr. Ames introduces what he terms a transformation bouquet. He is the inventor of the mechanism used in its production and all his ideas in dress, costume and electrical effects are copyrighted and he absolutely refuses to permit others to imitate him. At the close of his act he will introduce his funny sand dance on his hands in which he is said to excell Clotilde Antonio. Bruett and Riviere, the French duetists, will appear in their chic French songs, and are sure to make a hit.

The three Marvelles will appear in their pantomime grotesques. The San Francisco Call says of them: "It is simply impossible with words to convey any idea of this act; each must see it for himself and no two persons will describe it alike."

The only team from last week's bill that remains over is the Corty Brothers, who are the talk of the town. They are without doubt the funniest pair of knock-about comedians that have ever been seen here. A pleasing feature of the bill for this week will be the orchestral music. Director Romandy is preparing a special programme, in which Spanish music will predominate.

Extra matinées are announced for Tuesday and Thursday, at which the full programme will be produced. At the matinée today and again tonight will be the last chance to see the Andersons, Basco and Roberts, Little Gertie Carlisle, the Kins-Ners and others of last week's bill.

THE BUNCH LIGHT.

Philadelphia has enjoyed a revival of Boucicault's "Arrah Na Pogue."

Tim Murphy has severed his relations with "The Texas Steer" company.

Richard Golden has written a sequel to "Old Jed Prouty," which he calls "Young Mr. Prouty."

The theater-goer may take his bicycle along in Australia. They will check it at the door.

Rose Coghlan in "Madame" is said to have at last found a role that fits her like a pair of tights.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Grandin are to begin a tour in September with a romantic play called "At the Carnival."

Robert Hilliard will play a London engagement in "Lost—24 Hours" at the conclusion of his present season in this country.

"In Old Kentucky" has cleaned up a profit of over $75,000 this season, it is said, and it shows no signs of waning popularity.

Augustus Thomas has written a comedy called "Treadway of Yale," which Nat C. Goodwin has accepted for production next season.

Mrs. Sholto Douglas, "Lady" by courtesy, is drawing smashing houses at the Olympic in Chicago. What snobs these Americans be!

Australia is gloating over a new play called "The Land of the Moa." The leap of a horse over a chasm twenty-two feet wide is one of the great scenes.

Henry Arthur Jones is writing a new play for E. S. Willard. The chief character will be a sort of clairvoyant, or mesmerist. Another Svengali, probably.

Anthony Hope, the author of "The Prisoner of Zenda," is to marry the Princess Flavia of the London production of the play, a Miss Evelyn Millard.

Mrs. Potter and Mr. Bellew are going to Australia, to open at Sydney, May 30, in "As You Like It," with William Elton, formerly of Wallack's, as Touchstone.

It is said Mme. Modjeska's left arm is partially paralyzed as the result of her recent illness. The report was that she had completely recovered, nevertheless, the arm is still in a sling.

Philadelphia is something of an opera town. The Metropolitan Company, which appeared in eight performances in that city recently, played to $48,000, or an average of $6000 a performance.

Augustus Pitou intends to produce at the Fourteenth-street Theater, New York, in October, a new play by Joseph Arthur, which is to be a romantic melodrama of the Afghan war. Arthur was a war correspondent in Afghanistan.

In Boston the medical men have been aroused by the actions of an English soldier, who is appearing in the colleges. He eats the deadliest poisons in quantities that would kill a whole regiment of soldiers, but it does not affect him in the least.

In the cast of "A Tammany Tiger," H. Grattan Donnelly's new melodrama, will be Laura Burt, Agnes Herndon, Frank Losee, Mason Mitchell, Samuel Edwards, Marion Elmore and others. There is a torchlight procession and other picturesque features.

Sydney Rosenfeld has another American comedy on hand, which he calls "A Fashionable Physician." It is understood that it will be brought out at the Fifth Avenue Theater, New York, with Campbell Gollan, the villian of "A House of Cards," in the chief role.

Chicago, by the way, is very cross at Duse. She refused to go there unless a "guarantee" was arranged for, and the advance sales were so light that the engagement was given up. Thereupon, according to a Chicago authority, she called the City of the Winds "a nest of pigstickerinos."

Frank L. Perley, manager of Modjeska and the Bostonians, has secured from Charles Frohman the American rights to "The Sporting Duchess" for next season, and will send the play on a tour of the principal cities. Mr. Perley has secured the scenery, costumes and properties.

From Ogden, Utah, it is learned that the Tavary Opera Company "produced 'Lucia di Lammermoor' to a crowded house," and that "the only thing that spoiled the pleasure of the audience was the fact that the plot was not understood, and, of course, the opera was not enjoyed as it might have been."

The paid claque at the Paris opera is to be discontinued. Another claque is planned, the members to be admitted free, and to wear evening dress, with white cravats, but no gloves. They will be led by a salaried chief. So cold are Parisian audiences that a claque is regarded as a positive necessity.

Robert Mantell lost his temper in St. Louis during Holy Week, owing to the vista of red plush seat-backs that stared him in the face during his performances, and one night made a savage speech, the gist of which was that no star was patronized unless he or she had "foreign prestige." Loie Fuller —"La" and all—had also been in St. Louis and had a big house. A local newspaper remarked: "Miss Fuller in her drapery dances drew a large crowd, and Miss Soandso's British blondes, in their undrapery dances, did equally well at a rival theater."

Kathryn Kidder is an ardent devotee of bicycling. The other day she said: "I rebelled against bicycling for four or five years, because I did not like the costume, and the dress necessary to the part seemed obnoxious. But my physicians at last persuaded me that the exercise would be beneficial, and after I had conquered the principal tribulations attendant upon learning I found the advice more than good. It fits in with my theory that concentration is the greatest force toward success and happiness. The bicycle is an exacting friend, jealously demanding one's undivided attention, and for an actor you can easily understand how beneficial it is for the mind to have all thoughts of the theater, with its usual routine, set aside for the time being by this usurping interest. The exercise gives the greatest possible benefit, while not encroaching upon so much of one's time as other exercises which one must follow faithfully in order to derive any benefit."

RICH ENOUGH TO KEEP DOGS.

Ephrum Eels, he had to scratch durned hard
 to keep ahead,
—But he always kept three dogs.
He couldn't keep a dollar bill to save his life,
 they said,
—But he always kept three dogs.
He said he might have been some one if he'd
 had half a chance,
But getting grub from day to day giv' Ephrum
 such a dance,
He never got where he could shed the patches
 off his pants;
—But he always kept three dogs.

Ephrum's young ones never looked as though
 they was half fed,
—But he always kept three dogs.
The house would be so cold his folks would
 have to go to bed,
—But Ephrum kept those dogs.
One was sort of setter dog and two of 'em was
 houn's;
Their skins was full of Satan; they was always on their roun's,
Till people durned their pictures in half a
 dozen towns,
—But Ephrum kept his dogs.

They 'bated Ephrum's poll-tax 'cause he was
 too poor to pay,
—But Ephrum kept his dogs.
How he scratched up cash to license 'em it
 ain't in me to say,
—But I know he kept his dogs.
And when a suff'rin' neighbor ambuscaded
 'em Eph swore—
Then in a kind of homesick way he hustled
 round for more;
He struck a lucky bargain, and, by thunder,
 he bought four,
—Jest kept on a-keepin' dogs.
—(Lewiston Journal.

J. G. C.

(Air, "And Her Golden Hair Was Hanging
 Down Her Back.")
I was once a possibility, I think I may be yet,
 But the golden bonds are bundled on my
 back;
The South was for me solid, and I thought the
 West I'd get,
 But the golden bonds are bundled on my
 back.
I have peddled them and auctioned them and
 hawked them in the street,
I sold them at a profit and folks thought it
 quite a feat;
Yet I fear I'll never occupy the Presidential
 seat,
 For the golden bonds are bundled on my
 back.

Chorus (by the people:)
Oh, John, how you do go on!
 You were on the fence in days gone by;
But, alas and alack! you've come back
 With a little golden twinkle in your eye.

Oh, delegates, I beg of you to lend me your
 support,
 Though the golden bonds are bundled on my
 back;
I bow to you, I smile to you, your franchises
 I court,
 Though the golden bonds are bundled on my
 back.
Don't bolt from me or hunt to find another
 candidate;
Don't seek the camp of Cleveland, for he's
 sadly out of date;
And that I am a back number kindly don't
 insinuate,
 Though the golden bonds are bundled on my
 back.
—(Truth.

HER TEN COMMANDMENTS.

These are the new commandments ten,
Which wives now make for married men.

1—Remember that I am thy wife,
 Whom thou must cherish all thy life.

2—Thou shalt not stay out late at night,
 When lodges, friends or clubs invite.

3—Thou shalt not smoke indoor or out,
 Or chew tobacco round about.

4—Thou shalt with praise receive my pies,
 Nor pastry made by me despise.

5—My mother thou shalt strive to please,
 And let her live with us in ease.

6—Remember 'tis thy duty clear,
 To dress me well throughout the year.

7—Thou shalt in manner mild and meek
 Give me thy wages every week.

8—Thou shalt not be a drinking man,
 But live on prohibition plan.

9—Thou shalt not flirt, but must allow
 Thy wife such freedom anyhow.

10—Thou shalt get up when the baby cries,
 And try the child to tranquilize.

These my commands, from day to day,
Implicitly thou shalt obey.
—(Boston Post.

D. B. H.

(Air, "Down Went McGinty.")
Ninety-two, along in June,
 When the world was all in tune,
When Presidential bees were buzzing loud,
 My friend Dana of the Sun,
 He said, "Dave, it's ten to one
That you will be the winner of the crowd."
 Then he bade the boys make room,
 Both for me and for my boom,
When Grover—cute old schemer—came along;
 And he tripped us down kerflop,
 Didn't care how far we'd drop;
And that is why I sing this little song.

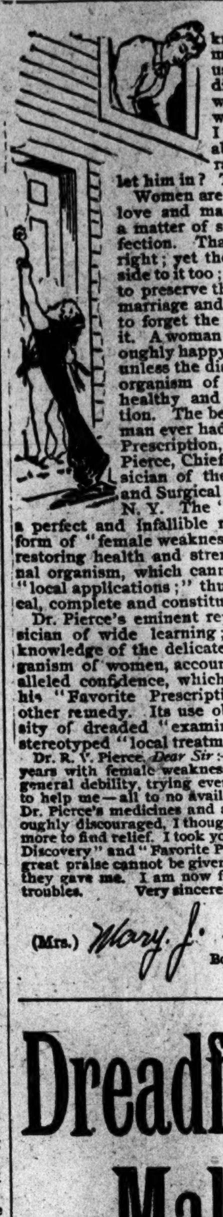
CHORUS.

Down went my boomlet to the bottom of the
 sea,
 And it must be very wet,
 For it hasn't come back yet,
But I am looking with a longing eye for its
 return to me,
 Dressed in a new suit of clothes.

Here I am in ninety-six,
In a very awkward fix,
For no one seems to love me any more;
 Though my ear is to the ground,
 I can't hear the slightest sound,
And I wonder what the future has in store.
 Dickie's gone across the sea,
 I'm thrown down in Tammany,
And Platt is doing a turn now in the ring;
 Both my eyes are badly blacked,
 By the papers I am whacked,
And I'm lonesome, oh, so lonesome, when I
 sing!
Chorus.
—(Truth.

Poplar Trees as Lightning Rods.

There has been an investigation in Germany on the subject of the tendency of trees in general to be struck by lightning, with special reference to the poplar. The conductivity of different kinds of woods was determined by placing pieces between the poles of a Holtz machine, and noting the quantity of electricity which was accumulated before a spark passed. The woods containing fats were in all cases poorer conductors, while those containing starch were better. Among the latter, the best were poplar, oak and willow, and it was decided that the poplar tree was an exceptionally good lightning conductor. Various authorities were cited in support of the conclusion that where protection from lightning was specially desired, the planting of poplar trees near the buildings to be protected was advisable. At the same time, the trees need not be too numerous, and they must not be too near the buildings. A number of cases were cited to show that by increasing the number of trees the protection is not increased, and that absolute safety was not obtained even by a circle of trees. In many cases, the lightning had jumped from the trees to the house. It was found that the danger of the current jumping from the trees to the roof of a building is very great when the distance between them is less than six and a half feet.



When love knocks at a woman's heart he usually comes in disguise. Doesn't want it known what he's up to. If she knew all about the little rascal, would she let him in? That's a question.

Women are apt to look upon love and marriage as purely a matter of sentiment and affection. That is pretty nearly right; yet there is a practical side to it too; and the best way to preserve the ideal aspect of marriage and maternity is not to forget the practical part of it. A woman cannot be a thoroughly happy wife and mother unless the distinctive physical organism of her sex is in a healthy and vigorous condition. The best friend that woman ever had is the "Favorite Prescription," of Dr. R. V. Pierce, Chief Consulting Physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. The "Prescription," is a perfect and infallible remedy for every form of "female weakness." It cures by restoring health and strength to the internal organism, which cannot be reached by "local applications;" thus the cure is radical, complete and constitutional.

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(Mrs.) Mary J. Stewart.
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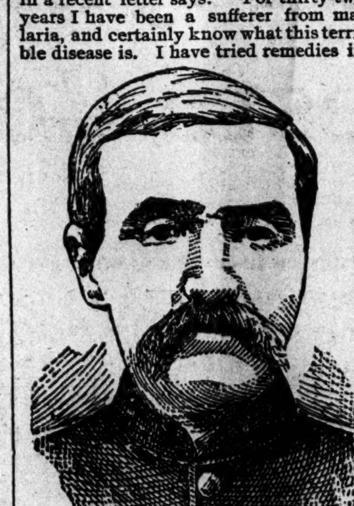
Santa Clara Co., Cal.

Dreadful Malaria.

There are numerous diseases having their origin in the blood, but which on the surface do not appear to be a blood disease. Such is Malaria, which is a poison breathed into the lungs, and thus taken into the blood and circulated, imbuing the entire system with its morbid effects. Those who have suffered from this dreaded disease know what a lifeless condition ensues and how the vitality is wasted away so that death is often caused by some simple malady, because of the low ebb to which life is reduced by this poverty of blood. This condition of the blood often gives rise to boils, carbuncles, abscesses and ulcers, and not infrequently causes catarrh, bronchitis, and even consumption.

Captain Henry Bond, late of the U. S. Navy, has been a sea-faring man all his life, and has been in all parts of the world, having sailed twice around the Cape of Good Hope, once around Cape Horn and three times through the Suez Canal. Captain Bond resides at the National Military Home, Dayton, Ohio, and in a recent letter says: "For thirty-two years I have been a sufferer from malaria, and certainly know what this terrible disease is. I have tried remedies in



CAPTAIN BOND.

Japan, Egypt, Persia, the West Indies and other parts of the world, but the disease had such a hold upon my system that it was impossible to get relief. After trying all remedies I could get in different countries, and nearly every blood remedy in this country, without the slightest benefit, some one recommended S. S. S. This remedy promptly reached the disease, and has driven it entirely out of my system. I certainly pronounce S. S. S. a blessing to humanity, and heartily recommend it to all suffering from that most dreadful disease, malaria. I have frequently been at the point of death, with a temperatnre of 106, and when I began the use of S. S. S. I was so reduced in health, that my condition seemed hopeless. Now I am enjoying the best of health."

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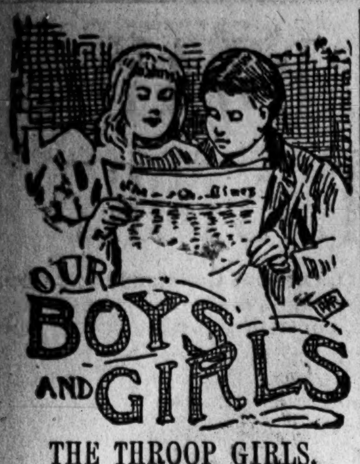

THE THROOP GIRLS.

A STORY OF TWO GIRLS AND MISS CHIPMAN'S PECK MEASURE.

When Their Misunderstanding Was Cleared Up Phoebe and Daisy Discovered that the Old Maid Had a Kind Heart.

(CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

"I'm wondering how the Throop girls will get along with Miss Chipman," said Mrs Mosely to her caller. She looked over at two houses across the street, a large white one and a little yellow one. "The Throops have just moved here," she explained, "from Underhill. There's just Phoebe and Daisy and their father. I've got a sister in Underhill, and she knows them. She says they're good girls, and smart as steel-traps. They've got ambition. They want to go to the Normal School at Bradley, and get an education and teach school."

OZRO MARTIN SETS FIRE TO MRS. CHIPMAN'S SHED.

"I'm kind of curious to see how they'll make out neighboring with Augusta Chipman," said Mrs. Mosely, with another chuckle.

At that very moment the Throop girls were seated in Miss Chipman's best room, in whose dimness their bright young faces shone out like stars.

They were returning Miss Chipman's formal call, which they had not enjoyed much. It had been a business call, anyhow. Phoebe said Miss Chipman had informed them that she had more apples and potatoes than she could use herself, and that she could accommodate them with those articles at the market price.

Accordingly, they had brought a peck measure with them.

"We would like some apples," said Phoebe. "We thought we would make a bird's-nest pudding for supper."

"You do all your housework, I understand," said Miss Chipman. She was middle-aged. She wore her hair drawn back tightly and gathered into a diminutive knot.

"Oh, yes," Daisy answered, "and go to school."

"We want to go through the high school here and go to the Bradley Normal," said Phoebe.

"We want to be teachers," Daisy explained. "Good ones."

They chatted away cheerfully for some time.

Then they followed Miss Chipman down to her well-stocked cellar. Miss Chipman looked sidewise at the measure they had brought.

"We thought we'd take a peck," said Phoebe.

"They're selling at 25 cents," said Miss Chipman. "I—er—I generally use my own measures." She picked up a peck measure, filled it with rosy Northern Spies, and emptied it into their measure.

Phoebe flushed hotly. Daisy bit her lip. Phoebe paid her, and they made short work of getting up the cellar stairs.

"Come again," said Miss Chipman.

"Thank you!" said Phoebe, stiffly.

When the door had closed behind them the Throop girls looked at each other.

"Did—you—ever!" Phoebe ejaculated.

"The mean, horrid old thing!" cried Daisy. "Did she think our measure held more than we said?"

"She seemed to!"

"I believe hers has a false bottom," Daisy averred.

"Oh, no," said Phoebe, though her heart burned within her. "She's honest, I suppose."

"But mean," Daisy subjoined. "Pison mean! I've a great good mind to take her old apples right straight back to her!"

But there was supper to be considered. Phoebe stirred the batter, and Daisy sliced the apples; the pudding was a great success, and their father praised it.

The Throop girls did their faithful best to make a cheerful home for their father, who worked hard, and did for them all his scant means allowed. And tonight they bravely buried Miss Chipman and her peck measure fathoms deep beneath their happy talk and laughter.

There came a knock at the door, when their father had gone downtown after supper. The visitor was Ozro Martin, from the poorhouse two miles away, a half-witted fellow, long and loose-jointed, with an unkempt mop of red hair and a ludicrously-twisted face. He came to the village frequently, begging his meals from house to house. He had applied to the Throop girls before, successfully, and he bore them in mind; for he had some small shrewdness in his witless noddle.

Phoebe let him have a chair by the stove, and the remainder of the bird's-nest pudding.

"Shtopped in to Mish Chipman's, neksht housh," said Ozro, in his own peculiar speech. "She wouldn't give a pore feller nuthin'! She's dreffl mean, she ish." He looked spiteful.

"We know that," said Daisy, warmly. "She's fearfully stingy."

"Shtingy! that'sh it," Orzo agreed. "She'd ought to be arreshted 'n put in the jail!" Malice gleamed from his dull eyes.

"Pleasant evening, isn't it?" said Phoebe, considering that enough had been said about Miss Chipman.

But Daisy could not forget her. When Orzo had gobbled the pudding and departed, and they had spread their books and slates on the table and plunged into their "home work," Daisy gave signs of a wandering mind. Now and again she tittered spasmodically, and at last she jumped up and bolted off, with a gleeful and mysterious "wait a minute!"

She came dancing back, after a little. Giggling triumphantly, she set down before Phoebe a small plate.

On it was half an apple, impaled upon which by means of a match was a slip of paper; and on the paper was written: "Dear Miss Chipman: We are afraid that you gave us half an apple too much, and we beg to return it.

"Phoebe and Daisy Throop."

"I'm going over and leave it at her door," Daisy declared.

"Daisy Throop!" Phoebe gasped, in shocked remonstrance. But she hid her laughing face.

"I am," said Daisy, "and you're going with me. She'll find it in the morning. Come on!"

"We mustn't," Phoebe protested.

"Yes, we must. She was mean, you know she was! She deserves it. It'll do her good."

She pulled Phoebe to the door by main force. They ran out, bareheaded, and climbed the fence in the darkness, and made their way through Miss Chipman's lawn, and their suppressed giggles trailed behind them.

"We'll leave it right here at the kitchen door," Daisy whispered. "She'll find it in the morning."

She crept to the door, and set the plate down softly.

She felt her sister's hand clutching hers. "Look!" Phoebe cried.

The woodshed adjoined the kitchen at the rear. Its door stood open, and within they saw a strange, bright glare.

They rushed to the spot. Something loomed up blackly before them—a tall figure standing on a barrel. A frightened yell burst from the apparition.

"Who'sh that, I shay?" a familiar voice quavered, in shrill terror. The fiery light shone on the red hair and the pale, skewed face of Ozro Martin.

He stared at them; then, with a choked and stammering word, he clasped his queer face in his lean hands, jumped off the barrel and loped off into the darkness.

A smell of kerosene filled the shed, and the rafters had caught the blaze of a burning mass of something which Ozro Martin had been stuffing in among them. "Run! get some water," Phoebe cried, and while Daisy ran, she mounted the barrel and tore at the burning mass. It was a bundle of rags soaked with kerosene.

A few minutes later, Miss Chipman, hearing peculiar noises at the back of the house, dropped the paper she was reading by her sitting-room fire, took the lamp, and her pistol out of the bureau in her bedroom and marched out to the woodshed. If it was burglars Miss Chipman felt equal to them.

She threw open the shed door. "For the—land's—sake!" she uttered.

The Throop girls stood there, together. Their hands and their faces were strangely blackened; water dripped from their hair and from their clothes. All around them lay a litter of charred fragments. The air reeked with the odor of kerosene.

"It was Ozro Martin. He was trying to set your house afire. We came over for—for something and caught him doing it," said Phoebe, facing Miss Chipman with a tremulous smile; she was holding one hand in a pail of water.

"He'd got those old rags and dipped them in you oil can and crammed them up there among the beams and set them afire," said Daisy.

"It's all out," said Phoebe, reassuringly, for Miss Chipman had grown very pale.

"Every smitch!" said Daisy. "I brought water from the pump and we threw it ,and Phoebe pulled the rags out. She's burned her hand."

"Never mind," Phoebe murmured.

"Never mind?" said Miss Chipman; "come in here!"

She drew them into the kitchen. She filled a basin with warm water, she brought soap and towels; and when the girls had washed away their sooty stains, and dried their damp locks and their dresses as best they could, she took a bottle of salve from a cupboard and carefully annointed and bound up Phoebe's burned hand.

All this she did without speaking one word. Then she sat down heavily, and stared at the Throop girls' grave eyes set in a pale face.

"You're two smart girls. You're noble girls! This house would have burned down if it hadn't been for you," she said. "And my insurance ran out yesterday, and I hadn't written to the company to renew it. I was going to tomorrow. Such carelessness! And you have saved me. Saved me every penny of $2000!"

"I'm so glad, Miss Chipman," said Phoebe, sincerely. Miss Chipman looked moved and softened and altered. She did not look like the Miss Chipman who had sold them the Northern Spies.

Daisy was opening and shutting her mouth uneasily.

"I'm afraid I'm to blame for it, some, Miss Chipman," she faltered. "Ozro Martin wanted to burn your house up out of spite. He thought you were mean because you wouldn't give him any supper, and he came to our house, and—and I sympathized with him. I told him you were mean—and—"

"Daisy!" cried Phoebe. But Miss Chipman laughed outright. "Well, go on," she said.

"I will go on," said Daisy. She sat straight and stiff, and a red spot burned in either cheek. "I'll tell it all. I—I—I'll go and get it."

She stepped to the door, fumbled on the step outside, and returning, set before Miss Chipman a plate containing half an apple.

"There!" she said. "I did it. Phoebe didn't want me to, but I did, and I made her come with me, and we left it there at the door, and that's how we came to see Ozro Martin setting the house afire. I had to tell you. There!"

Miss Chipman read the words scrawled upon the paper. And read them again.

"Oh dear," Phoebe groaned, in an agony of distress and wretchedness. "Oh, dear!"

But Miss Chipman was smiling. It was a grim sort of smile.

"I've just a word or two to say for myself, dears," she said, gently. "I offered Ozra Martin some doughnuts, made fresh today, but he said he could not eat doughnuts without coffee, and he went off sulky.

"And about the apples—maybe I shouldn't say a word to excuse it, for I know just how terribly mean it looked to you. But you see, I got into the habit of using my own measures when those shiftless Durfees lived where you do. Thed'd come over here for apples and summer vegetables and milk, and bring dishes to hold 'twice as much as they'd ask for or pay for, and expect me to fill them up. And they'd borrow and never pay back. I despised their shiftless, dishonest ways, and I took means to protect myself. And my peck measure was one.

"But there isn't an atom of Durfee about you. I knew that the minute I set eyes on you. And I made up my mind, after you'd gone home with the apples, that I'd come over and explain to you how 'twas force of habit, my using my own peck measure, and that you needn't be afraid I'd do it again. I was terribly ashamed of it.

"I know I'm a stingy, hard old woman," Miss Chipman declared. But somehow, the Throop girls felt like speaking right up and denying it. "I've got the reputation, and I guess I deserve it. I've lived here alone so long that I've got warped and selfish and mean, and I know it.

"And here you've saved my house from burning. Saved me from an awful misfortune. It's no use for me to tell you how thankful I am. It's coals of fire, and I hope it'll do me good!

"I'm as glad as I can be that you've come here, dearies. I guess what I need is something young and bright and sweet around me, to warm me up. I hope we'll be real good friends. I like you, and I want you to try to like me."

And there were tears in Miss Chipman's eyes.

"There!" she said. "Now, do you like plum preserves and candied cherries and fruit cake? We will have some, dears."

"Well!" said Mrs. Mosely, some weeks later, "if I ever! I wouldn't have believed it.

"I wondered, along to the first, how the Throop girls would get along with Miss Chipman.

"Get along with her? Why, friendly ain't the word for it. They're thick. The Throop girls are over there half the time and I see Miss Chipman going over to the Throops' twice a day, sometimes. The Throop girls have knit her a blue head-scarf, and she wears it; wears it all over town. She that never wore anything before but a black bonnet."

But Mrs. Mosely was in total ignorance concerning Miss Chipman's peck measure and the remarkable train of events which had resulted from her having used it one too many times.

"She's pretty near a new woman, Augusta Chipman is. Those Throop girls have done her a sight of good, that's the long and short of it. They do say she's going to help 'em through the Bradley Norman School, that they're so crazy to get to. I wouldn't have believed it, a spell back, but now—Well, I don't know as it's quite a miracle, but it's next thing to it.

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FOR THE LAND'S SAKE.

WOMEN.

The Empress of Russia is nearly two inches taller than her husband, and is just the kind of a figure to "carry off" a $200,000 coronation robe.

Mary Anderson-Navarro has left England for a protracted tour of the continent. Her health is broken, and she goes to Southern Europe with the hope of improvement.

Mme. Sarah Grand is again abroad at London evening parties, where she is generally introduced by her pen name, says the Bookman, though her real name, Mrs. Haldane McFall, is now well known.

The French Duchesse d'Uzes is said to repair every Friday morning, in mean clothes, to a cancer hospital, where she replaces an infirmary servant till late in the evening.

In speaking of her old enemy, ex-Senator Ingalls, Mrs. Lease said the other day: "I don't really believe there is any danger of his being elected United States Senator. I will say, however, that the Republicans might do worse. I will not attempt to prevent his election."

Mrs. Lillie Devereaux Blake of New York, well known as an eloquent advocate of woman suffrage, is receiving the condolence of friends, having recently lost her husband, Grinfil Blake.

Mrs. Mary Harlan of Coxville, Ind., mother of ex-United States Senator Harlan of Iowa, and grandmother of Mrs. Robert T. Lincoln, was 100 years old on March 20. At the birthday reception there were present a daughter 78 years old, and a son 76.

ON GUARD.

FEATHERED SPIES WHO WATCH OVER ANIMAL FRIENDS.

Sportsmen Are Obliged to Reckon with These Keen-eyed Bird Guardians When Following the Chase—As House Guards.

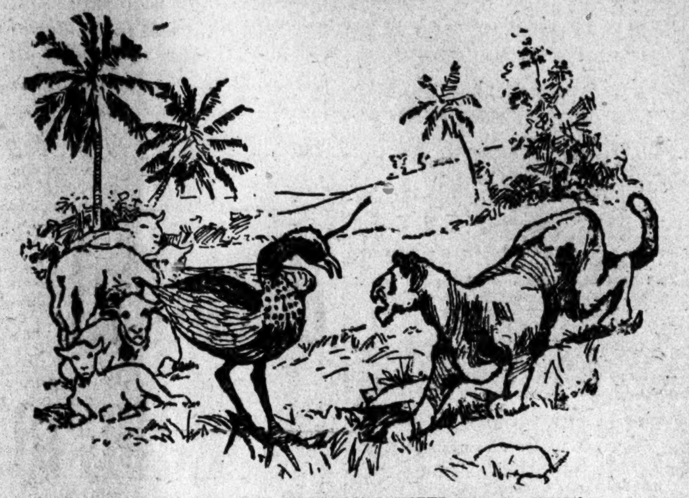
(CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

The California mocking bird is a very intelligent fellow, and is sometimes of material service to other animals. In following the hare with hounds, I have heard a series of shrieks from a mocking bird at which a hare would dart from its concealment and bound away; and so often has this occurred that it would appear as though the mocking, bright-eyed creature was a friendly sentinel on guard who had thus given the hare a warning.

In driving through one of the lower countries of Southern California, I once came to a field of stubble in which there were forty or fifty black pigs on the back of each of which were one or two black birds. The latter espied me immediately and uttered an alarm or warning at which the pigs looked up and then ran away, some still carrying their sentinels on their back. Such an exhibition might easily be considered accidental, but I have seen it repeated on several occasions; and that certain birds do warn various animals which they affect there can be little doubt.

GUARDING MOOSE AND OXEN.

A familiar example is seen in our moose, which allows various birds to run over it, in all probability in search of insects. The hunter stealing upon the animal may find it asleep in some



HORNED SREAMER DEFENDING SHEEP FROM A PUMA.

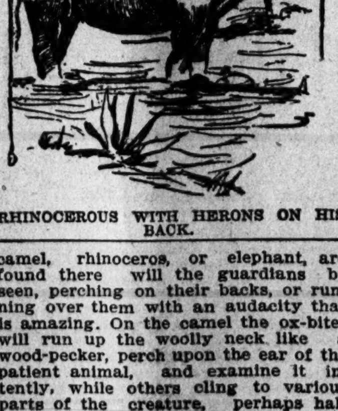
out-of-the-way nook; but the watchful jay is on guard and uttering its note of alarm, the moose responds, springs to its feet and rushes away, leaving the hunter far behind, amazed at his lack of skill and little suspecting that a Canada jay had, to all intents and purposes, whispered words of warning in the long ear of the flying moose.

That this animal submits to the attention of the jay is well known; the bird having been observed running over its body with the greatest freedom.

In Central America, especially in Nicaragua, a singular bird, called Quiscalus, is very assiduous in its attentions to wild cattle, taking its place on their backs and elevating and depressing the long neck and tail in a remarkable manner, giving the impression that it is a poseur. But does an enemy approach, the black grotesque creature immediately utters discordant shrieks that have an immediate effect upon the cattle, who toss up their heads and rush into the bush.

In Africa this guardianship between birds and cxen is so well established that certain birds are universally known as ox-biters; and so vigilant are they in their guardianshio over various large game animals, that they are an important consideration to the hunter in the chase.

One of the best known of these feathered guardians is the red-beaked ox-biter, Buphagus erythrorhyncus, a gamy little fellow not larger than a robin, with a deep red beak and eyes that sparkle with a gold gleam. Wherever wild cattle, large antelopes, the



RHINOCEROUS WITH HERONS ON HIS BACK.

camel, rhinoceros, or elephant, are found there will the guardians be seen, perching on their backs, or running over them with an audacity that is amazing. On the camel the ox-biter will run up the woolly neck like a wood-pecker, perch upon the ear of the patient animal, and examine it intently, while others cling to various parts of the creature, perhaps half asleep.

OUTWITTING NATURALISTS AND SPORTSMEN.

So watchful are these sharp-eyed birds that at the first suggestion of an enemy's approach the birds rise from the backs of the herd, uttering loud and discordant cries, which are interpreted at once. If they should shout, "Run for your lives!" the alarm would not be better understood, as at the first warning note the huge animals rush blindly into the bush, leaving the sportsman mortified at his seeming lack of skill in stalking the game. So skillful are these birds in discovering an enemy that they constitute an important feature in the calculations of the hunter or sportsman in the dark continent. One species is called the rhinoceros-bird on account of its partiality to the rhinoceros; numbers being seen clinging to the hide of the big animal, or perching upon its ears and horns.

Drummond, the well-known naturalist, found it extremely difficult to deceive these watchful guardians. On one occasion he had stalked a cape buffalo and a water antelope for hours, never exposing himself, knowing that the birds were on guard. Finally he reached a situation favorable to a shot when an eagle-eyed bird uttered a sound like tchatcha, and the entire flock rose into the air with loud cries, at which the ox and antelope dashed into cover.

FOR BIG GAME.

That these feathered guardians are attached to the animals is suggested by the pertinacity with which they cling to them. A hunter had succeeded in approaching the rhinoceros when the birds gave the alarm, and away dashed the big creature, followed by the hunter. Some of the birds hovered over the flying animal, but several clung to its hide, often brushed off in the flight through the brush, but renewing their position despite the wild race. When the rhinoceros was finally killed the birds clustered in the neighboring trees. The following day when the hunters returned to skin the animal the little guardians were found sitting on it, and when the natives appeared they uttered their alarm cry and even brushed their wings in the face of the dead rhinoceros in their efforts to arouse it.

The sluggish hippopotamus and the elephant often serve as a perch for a small white heron, which is extremely watchful, rising at the slightest alarm, the flapping of their wings being the signal at which the animal steals quietly away, to be rejoined, in all probability, by the white sentinels.

AS HOUSE GUARDS.

The wattled starling stands guard on various birds and has seriously interfered with the plans of many sportsmen. This singular guardianship is not confined to quadrupeds exclusively; certain birds are known to extend a limited protection to other birds, an interesting example being found in Northern Africa, where a copper-colored fly-catcher has been observed standing guard upon storks. The latter were walking along sedately, feeding upon the myriads of locusts which covered the ground, and upon the back of nearly all was a fly-catcher. The observer, who was a naturalist, watched the birds for some time until one of them espied him, when the entire flock arose, uttering loud cries, which so alarmed the storks that they, too, took flight.

In various countries this singular instinct of guardianship of certain birds is taken advantage of. Thus the wing-spurred chauna, Chauna chavaria, of South America, is sometimes found in the dooryards of well-to-do natives acting the part of a guard to its owner's property. The bird is remarkable for its pugnacity and its cry, that is a harsh, penetrating scream sufficient to demoralize a much larger foe. These birds are placed in the farm-yard when young, and are considered a safeguard against hawks and various predatory animals. Shepherds employ them to guard their flocks, and more than once the wing-spurred bird has stood between the lambs and the puma, proving himself one of the most effective of the feathered guards.

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TWO IN ONE.

TWO SEPARATE INDIVIDUALS IN ONE AND THE SAME BODY.

Its Right and Left Sides Each Possess a Will and Consciousness Distinctly Its Own and Different from the Other.

(CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

A friend of mine from Cadiz, who says that Spain, for the time being, at least, has become a little unhealthy for Americans, showed me the other day a remarkable object which he took from a little red box pierced full of holes.

"You may likely enough mistake it for a Japanese grotesque in bronze," he said, which, to tell the truth, misled by its immobility, its color and its outlandish appearance, was the identical thing I had done.

"But," he continued, "it is alive, though fast asleep. I found him in an old monastery garden in the environs of Toledo. When I first saw him, at noon, as is common with the great majority of his fellow-citizens, he was indulging in his mid-day siesta, I took him for some queer vegetable excrescence growing out of the branch of the olive tree upon which he rested. Exactly matching the greenish gray bark in color, the granulated texture of his mottled hide looked like the scaly surface of a lichen-covered knot, and it was only on the closest inspection I determined his real nature. Touch him up a bit. He is a Spaniard, and looks ugly, but he can't hurt anything bigger than a fly or a cockroach."

In response to my friend's suggestion I gave him a gentle poke with the ferule of my umbrella, and he began by slow instalments to wake up; that is, the side next me gradually showed signs of life. One foreleg moved with the almost imperceptible progress of the minute hand of a clock, and his hind leg on the same side also quivered. His color changed more rapidly until the half of his body nearest me was almost black, while that which had not been touched remained its original light gray-green, the hue of oxidized bronze.

By this I knew the creature must be one of the vermilingues. Although quite familiar with the American lizard incorrectly called a chameleon, I had never before seen an animal like this, and I examined it with feelings of the liveliest interest and curiosity. The wakening process went on by easy stages, until the eye next me opened and one side of the reptile was plainly wide awake, while the other was as obviously fast asleep; I then waked up the other side, and it was one of the oddest things you can imagine to see its glaring eyes, covered except in the center by skin, look in different directions at the same time, the one directed forward and the other backward. My friend placed a small roach (he kept a box of them for the purpose of feeding his pet,) within range of one of its swivel-mounted organs of vision, and the show began.

The half animal on that side evidently communicated the fact to the other half, for both eyes were for the first time fastened on the same object. The roach was a considerable distance away, and I wondered how the torpid, slow-moving creature would manage to approach the insect to capture it. The two halves of the animal having consulted over the matter and reached a conclusion, the shapeless mouth opened and a tongue that seemed to lack perhaps a third of being as long as the creature itself, shot out, struck the roach, and stuck it on its adhesive club-shaped end and jerked it back instanter into the cavernous depths of reptilian anatomy. This is about the only rapid movement the animal is ever guilty of. His "little game" is to lie low, to blush all over the particular color of his environment (and he has an eye for color,) to look as much as possible like a bit of rock or bank of sand, and then to approach his prey so silently, so slowly, so gradually, so imperceptibly that he seems rather to grow than to go in their direction. If the prey is as is generally the case, a bluebottle fly, and is making an elaborate toilette after the manner of such insects, twisting his forelegs together in front and then rubbing them over his head until he seems about to break it away from the body, the probability is that he has become so engrossed in the interesting occupation as to allow the reptile to bring him in range and incontinently end his career of usefulness. Ninety-nine times out of a thousand, however, he loses patience and flies away.

On scratching "Scalywag," the name my friend had given this interesting pet, with a lead pencil, he began to swell with indignation, and kept it up until he seemed to be at least twice his original size.

Standing high on his slender legs, he appeared an incarnate nightmare. Certainly no artist in portraying the inhabitants of hades, giving rein to his wildest fancies, ever depicted so menacing, so grotesque a horror. Doubtless this is his protection: few beasts or birds would care to attack such a venomous-looking creature. The changes of color he can command, I am assured, are in popular accounts much exaggerated, and do not greatly exceed those of our own anolis of Florida. The chief interest connected with this Spanish chameleon is his double consciousness, which is unparalleled among living animals. So complete is this that if the creature falls into water, the two half individuals of which it is composed become so frightened and confused that each attempts to act on its own account and no coördinate movements are possible, the animal invariably drowns.

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TIME TABLE ARCADE DEPOT.
March 22, 1896.
Sunset Limited—Eastbound, Lv !! 3:00 p.m.; westbound, ar ! 7:45 p.m.
San Francisco, Sacramento, East via Ogden—Lv 2:05, 8:25 p.m. Ar 7:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m.
Portland, Or.—Lv 8:25 p.m. Ar 1:30 p.m.
El Paso and East—Lv 2:30 p.m. Ar 1:00 p.m.
Riverside, Redlands, San Bernardino—Lv. 8:00, 9:20 a.m., 2:30, 4:30 p.m. Ar. 9:55 a.m., 1:00, 4:48, 6:35 p.m.
Pomona, Ontario—Lv 8:00, 9:20 a.m., 2:30, 4:30, 5:25 p.m. Ar. 8:50, 9:55 a.m., 1:00, 4:48 6:35 p.m.
Chino—Lv 8:00 a.m., 4:30, 5.25 p.m. Ar 8:50, 9:55 a.m., 6:35 p.m.
Covina, San Dimas—Lv 8:00 a.m., *2:30, 5:25 p.m. Ar 8:50 a.m., *1:00, 6:35 p.m.
Arcadia, Monrovia, Duarte—Lv 8:05, *11:20 a.m., *3:05, 5:15 p.m. Ar *8:24, 9:50 a.m., *1:10, 4:55 p.m.
Pasadena—Lv 7:50, *8:25, 9:20, *11:25 a.m., 12:20, 3:55, 5:20, *6:10 p.m. Ar *7:50, 8:55, 9:50, 10:40 a.m., 1:35, *3:05, 5:01, *7:28 p.m.
Santa Barbara—Lv 7:35 a.m., 4:00 p.m. Ar 12:15, 10:10 p.m.
Santa Ana—Lv 9:10 a.m., *1:05, 5:10 p.m. Ar. 9:04 a.m., *1:15, 5:20 p.m.
Tustin—Lv *9:10 a.m., 5:20 p.m. Ar 9:04 a.m., *5:20 p.m.
Whittier—Lv 10:05 a.m., *1:05, 5:10 p.m., Ar. 8:00 a.m., *1:15, 5:20 p.m.
Long Beach, San Pedro—Lv 9:00 a.m., 1:40, 5:05 p.m. Ar. 8:14, 11:20 a.m., 5:15 p.m.
Santa Monica—Lv 9:00, **10:00 a.m., 1:10, 5:15, 6:00 p.m. Ar. 7:45, 8:55 a.m., 12:15, **4:20, 5:10 p.m.
Soldiers' Home—Lv 9:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Ar 12:12, 5:10 p.m.
Port Los Angeles—Lv 9:00, **10:00 a.m., 1:10 p.m. Ar 12:12, **4:20, 5:10 p.m.
Catalina Island—Lv *1:40 p.m. Ar *11:20 a.m.
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Commercial street, local.
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—In effect—
MONDAY, NOV. 18, 1895.

Leave Los Angeles for		Leave for Los Angeles
*7:10 am	Pasadena	*8:10 am
**7:55 am	"	**8:30 am
9:10 am	"	10:25 am
11:30 am	"	12:40 pm
3:30 pm	"	4:35 pm
5:20 pm	"	6:00 pm
9:10 am	Altadena	10:10 am
**11:30 am	"	**12:20 pm
3:30 pm	"	4:20 pm
*7:05 am	Glendale	**9:12 am
**8:20 am	"	*7:57 am
12:35 pm	"	1:20 pm
5:05 pm	"	5:52 pm
9:00 am	Long Beach & San Pedro	7:20 am
1:10 pm	Long Beach & San Pedro	10:30 am
5:00 pm	Long Beach & San Pedro	3:45 pm

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Special Summer Time-card, No. 16.
IN EFFECT JANUARY 1, 1896.
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9:05 am	Daily	7:30 am
4:30 pm		3:00 pm

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SAN DIEGO TRAINS.
Lv. *9:00 am, 5:20 pm; Ar. *1:05 pm, 7:15 pm

SAN BERNARDINO TRAINS.
P—Leave 7:10 am, *8:20 am, 9:00 am, *4:00 pm 4:45 pm, 8:00 pm; O—Lv. *11:00 am, 5:20 pm
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RIVERSIDE AND REDLANDS TRAINS.
P—Lv. 7:10 am, *8:20 am, 9:00 am, *4:00 pm, 4:45 pm; O—Lv. *11:00 am, 5:20 pm
P—Arrive *9:45 am, *1:00 pm, 5:00 pm, 6:05 pm, 6:50 pm O—Ar. 11:00 am, 7:15 pm

PASADENA AND AZUSA TRAINS.
Leave—7:10 am, *8:20 am, 9:00 am, 1:35 pm, *4:00 pm, 4:45 pm, *5:30 pm, 8:00 pm
Arrive—*7:58 am, 8:55 am, *9:45 am, 1:00 pm, 4:15 pm, 5:00 pm, 6:05 pm, 6:50 pm

MONROVIA AND INTERMEDIATE.
Leave—*8:20 am, **9:00 am, 1:35 pm, *4:00 pm, **4:45 pm, *5:30 pm
Arr.—*7:58 am, 8:55 am, *1:00, 4:15, 6:50 pm

ANAHEIM AND SANTA ANA.
Leave—*8:00 am, 9:00 am, 4:25 pm, 5:20 pm
Arrive—8:50 am, *1:05 pm, 5:05 pm, 7:15 pm

REDONDO BEACH TRAINS.
Lv.—9:50 am, 5:05 pm; Ar.—8:29 am, 4:40 pm

SANTA MONICA TRAINS.
Leave—7:10 am, 10:00 am, 5:05 pm
Arrive—8:55 am, 4:40 pm, 6:50 pm

PERRIS AND SAN JACINTO TRAINS.
Leave—P-*9:00 am, O-*11:00 am
Arr. P-*1:00 & *6:05 pm, O-*11:00 am, *7:15 pm

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Leave—P-*9:00 am, O-*11:00 am
Arrive—P-*1:00 pm, O-*11:00 am

ESCONDIDO. Lv.—*9:00 am, *5:20 pm Arrive—*1:05 pm
FALLBROOK. Leave—*9:00 am Arrive—*7:15 pm

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The Marvelously Quick Stroke of the Puff Adder.

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(CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

On grass-covered plains and hillsides in South Africa you frequently come across spots apparently thickly inhabited by some small running animal. Little paths wind about and cross each other in every direction, and may well be compared to the streets of a city on account of their proximity to each other and their numerous crossings. Each path is clearly marked by being almost destitute of herbage. If you trace them up, you will find that they all end in holes just large enough to admit a half-grown rat; and if you beat the thicker bunches of grass, you will probably see a small rat-like animal running at a quick little trot along a pathway to the burrow. He is a vole, very like a rot or mouse in appearance, but much less nimble and much more delicate than either. He is larger than a mouse, and considerably

THE SNAKE ASSUMES A STRIKING ATTI TUDE.

smaller than a rat. His fur, too, is much longer and thicker in proportion, being more like that of a rabbit in its texture. Boys, both white and colored, in South Africa, consider them very good eating, and enjoy them roasted in embers whenever they can catch them. Many of the voles live in each colony, and the colonies are so numerous that you cannot travel a mile in any direction without crossing one. But the vole has a worse enemy than the boys. If you approach a colony, and carefully survey all the runways, particularly if there be a bush there, you will perhaps see the enemy alluded to—a living rat-trap—lying in the path, and the very sight of his broad, flat head and sinister cat-like eyes will make your blood run cold.

He is the terrible puff adder, short, thick-bodied, broad-headed, long-fanged, death-dealing alike to vole and to man—and even to the prowling lion, should he in his wanderings set paw upon the deadly reptile. He is beautifully colored, having a groundwork of velvet black, with half-moons of yellow and small specks of the same marked along his back from head to tail. More than once I have found puff adders lying thus in vole paths, and there is no doubt that they devour great numbers of them. Nor will a puff adder be satisfied with one. As soon as he has swallowed his first catch he looks around a little, and then lies in wait for another, which he catches just as he did the first. His method of securing them is this: He wanders about till he comes to the colony. His tongue tells him by the touch of its delicate points that his prey is in the vicinity. For a while he searches busily about. If he catches sight of a vole he lies quiet in or close by the path. He knows by instinct that his remaining motionless for a long time will arouse the little animal's curiosity. The vole, seeing the snake moving, is probably frightened, and runs to his hole, but finding that he is not pursued he soon emerges and looks around for the snake. He discovers the reptile motionless. "Dead," thinks the vole,, "or asleep, maybe," and he cautiously approaches to investigate. Inch by inch he ventures, sniffing, into closer proximity to danger; he even runs around the snake, who never moves in the slightest. At last the unfortunate little quadruped allows its curiosity to master its prudence; it ventures too close. The living spring of the snake's neck flies out, and the vole is held struggling in the jaws of the reptile, whose venom-distilling fangs are buried in its tender body. He never relaxes his jaws for a single instant. Soon the deadly secretion does its work; and the vole pasees stomachward out of sight. The puff adder then repeats his tactics with like success till he is satisfied, or becomes thirsty, when he goes off to seek water in the k'oops, or hides under a bush to avoid danger and sleep till his necessities arouse him to another change of lodging.

With large, fierce rats the tactics of the puff adder are somewhat different. Six, which I kept in my collection at Grahamstoon in the Cape Colony, gave me many opportunities of observing their methods with rats too large and powerful to be caught and held in the jaws while dying. One instance will explain their methods with such animals.

Leaving one of the puff adders loose in my room, I locked the door and prepared to give him a rat of unusual size. When the puff adder had coiled himself in a shadowy corner behind a table leg, I cautiously opened the wire trap and let the rat run out, seating myself in a chair to watch the methods of the puff adder. If he saw the rat coming out of the trap, he gave no sign of it whatever, but lay still as if he were dead. The rat, too, didn't see the snake until he approached the fatal corner, which he did with that business-like gait peculiar to rats seeking holes. As I sat perfectly still, the rat was in no great hurry, so that he did not run blindly on the snake. He got within a foot of his enemy before he seemed to notice him; then, with rat-like inquisitiveness, he sat up on his haunches, sniffing tremblingly to be sure if it were really a snake. As he did so the puff adder became alarmed at his size and gave vent to a loud blowing hiss, at the same time drawing back his head with the nose inclined downward, ready to strike. This alarmed the rat, which jumped past the snake, uttering a squeak of alarm. But the reptile was quicker than the quadruped, and struck him nicely while still on the jump. The action of the snake was so quick that he must be said to have struck the rat rather than to have bitten it. He did not hold it at all, so that it continued its slightly-interrupted journey; but, alas, it had the venom injected into its lungs, and before it reached the place where I sat it tottered over to the other side of the room and lay down dying, resting on its side behind a pile of books on the floor, close by the wall, in such a position that it was completely out of sight of the snake's line of vision. If the puff adder at first view of the rat had coveted it for dinner, he certainly was much alarmed in striking it, for his loud blowings filled the room for probably not less than a minute afterward. Finally he ceased these manifestations, and yawned widely, stretching his fangs and jaws to their utmost extent. The rat was by this time lying dead behind the books, so that nothing remained to excite the snake further; and he soon set out on a little journey of exploration. Over the rat's path he went for a while, then he left it, going back to his corner. Again and again he went backward and forward, then extended his search round by the wall until he came to the motionless body of his victim, which he tried on every side with his tongue, to make sure that life was thoroughly extinct. At last, satisfied on this point, he took its head in his mouth and swallowed it down with considerable difficulty; for he was occupied in the process for the full space of forty minutes—the rat being, as has been mentioned before, more than usually large.

The rattlesnake, the copperhead, and other deadly snakes of the viper class all catch rats and mice in this manner; and none of them will ever hold an animal which they fear on account of its strength or fierceness. Nevertheless, they will all strike it to death, as the puff adder, and after an interval set out to find its corpse and swallow it at heir leisure, if it prove to be every way desirable.

Twice, during last summer I found on the Palisades in New Jersey, copperheads lying in the runs of the short-tailed field-mouse, an animal very similar to the South African vole. On another occasion I found one in the vicinity of a nest of wood mice. Having brought him home, I found during the ensuing week that he previously dined on one of them. He was probably waiting for a second when I encountered him. Indeed, he would probably have eaten up all the elders of the family as fast as they came out to take air, and then would have gone into the hole to to polish off the nest of young ones.

Among my copperheads in captivity I saw a nice instance of this last autumn. Now, while the copperhead dines chiefly on frogs during spring and early summer, he longs in autumn for mice, and will put himself to considerable trouble and into no small danger to get them.

Having a full-grown copperhead in a large cage with dead leaves and rocks for him to wander among, I determined on the first opportunity to give him a feast of mice. A mother mouse with six young ones, had made her home in a covered cigar box. The young were helpless infants, but the mother was strong and enterprising; for besides cutting a large hole in the box, she had collected within it a considerable nest. The copperhead was lying coiled among the leaves, when I gently withdrew the glass and placed the box in one corner of his cage, closing the glass slide of the front again, so that neither the mouse nor the reptile could get out into my room.

The copperhead at first took no notice of the box; perhaps he was asleep and didn't see me put it in the cage. After a few minutes the mouse came out to explore, and in its peregrinations ran over the coils of the motionless snake.

The contact evidently aroused both, for the mouse scampered off into the hole in the cigar box, while the copperhead, in his turn, set out on a voyage of discovery. The sight of the mouse, and probably the smell of it where it had passed, evidently excited his appetite, for he examined where it had run with his tongue, stopping in his examination to yawn and stretch his fangs as if getting them into readiness for action. All through the leaves he searched and was almost lost among them, so much did his reddish coat and brownish blotches harmonize with their sober autumn tints. No wonder, then, when the mouse came out a second time expecting to find its enemy where it had left him it approached carelessly within striking distance of his snout. But the vigilant eye of the snake saw the little nibbler as it approached, and, drawing his long body unseen into a coil beneath the leaves, launched out as soon as the poor mouse came within distance and held it firmly with fangs buried in its quivering body. He soon swallowed it, and then continued to explore and investigate. Would he now get the young ones, too? At last he approached the cigar box. The hole which the mouse-mother had made for a doorway he felt round and round with his tongue, and finally decided to enter. Inch by inch he passed through the hole, until fully eight inches of his neck was within the box.

For more than twenty minutes he remained thus engaged in the mouse nest. At last he came out, yawned as if to get his jaws and fangs into place, and then went off among the leaves. Taking the opportunity of his being at the other end of the cage, I withdrew the glass and took out the cigar box. Alas! the poor infants had followed their mother into his capacious stomach. I turned out the nest, and shook it up to see if he had left or missed one. But no; he had made a clean sweep and exterminated the whole family.

If such things often happen in nature—and we must reasonably assume that they do—we can see what a useful rule is played by these dreaded serpents in keeping in check the swarming hordes of rodent marauders.

G. R. O'RIELLY.

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The Codlin Moth.

(B. M. Lelong, before the State Horticultural Society, February 29, 1896:) The codlin moth and its habits are too well known to require a description at this time, but those desiring such information should consult the reports and bulletins issued by the State Board of Horticulture. What is most important to know is, what remedy to apply and when to apply it to secure the best results.

The remedy now universally used is Paris green of a high grade, or pure state. The substance sold under the name of Paris green is, chemically considered, an aceto-arsenite of copper, and is known in the arts and to the trade by different names, such as "French green," "Mitis green," "Emerald green,"' "Schweinfurt green," etc.

One of the methods formerly employed in the preparation of Paris green according to the chemist Liebig, involved the simple treatment of the crude and freshly-precipitated Scheele's green or copper arsenite, with wood vinegar, from which source the acetic acid of the final product is derived. In the method generally adopted for the preparation of this susbtance, arsenious acid (white arsenic,) and acetate of copper (verdigris) are employed; both are dissolved separately in hot water, and boiling solutions are mixed together, the precipitated coloring matter being allowed to settle.

Paris green is normally a bright crystalline powder, insoluble in water, but changing in color when boiled with water for some time. According to the chemist Ehrmann, the composition of pure Paris green is as follows:

Copper oxide..	31.29
Arsenious acid...	58.65
Acetic acid...	10.06

The purest grades of Paris green. however, show slight variations from the proportions given above, but when used as an insecticide for the codlin moth, should contain at least 50 per cent. of combined arsenious acid; and fruit-growers who are in doubt as to its purity and quality should have the same tested by sending samples to Prof. Hilgard at Berkeley.

In the past two years enormous quantities of Paris green have been sold to growers, much of which was of very inferior quality. The results were equally as poor, and many growers have thus become prejudiced against its use) Samples of Paris green have been examined, with astonishing results. Several samples, although of nearly the same shade of color as the pure Paris green. were found to be a mixture of Prussian blue, and chrome yellow, clay and chalk. Others were found to contain no arsenious acid. In many cases the fault lies with the fruit-growers themselves; for we have continually advised them to use the pure article, which costs 20 cents per pound. This advice has been disregarded to a considerable extent, and the cheapest grades have been purchased, with little or no results. It was only last week that an extensive apple-grower, visiting several stores in quest of Paris green, refused the pure at 20 cents. and had a large quantity shipped to him at 4¼ cents per pound; you can therefore imagine the results he will have from its use.

Then again, Paris green has been applied at the wrong time, and owing to this cause, many complain that spraying has been of little or no use to their crops. In traveling about the State, I have always found people spraying when there was no occasion for it, as the fruit had grown to such a size as to render spraying of no avail; others sprayed too soon, before the petals had fallen, and before the moth had deposited her eggs. Spraying for the codlin moth, to insure the best results, must be done at the proper time, and if not thoroughly done, is a waste of time and material. Those that spray at the proper time, and with the greatest thoroughness, are the ones whose fruit commands the best prices and is much sought after. To spray for the codlin moth only once means that you will have a large per cent. of wormy fruit, and a larger per cent. if sprayed at the wrong time. For instance, what good would spraying be if done after the apples or pears have attained the size of a walnut, when by this time the worm is far into the fruit and beyond reach of the poison? Also, suppose one spraying was done at the proper time and then the work abandoned, allowing the moth to deposit her eggs, and the little worm to enter the fruit the second or third week when the strength of the poison has become diffused and no longer effective?

The codlin moth in some sections is widely distributed, and spraying to save the apple and pear crops has become a necessity; in other words, it insures the crop, which, without spraying, is of no value.

To be successful, the following requirements must be fully carried out:

1. Spray with Paris green of the best quality, using 1 pound to 200 gallons of water.
2. Spray apples and pears just after the petals of the blossoms fall.
3. Spray the second time, sixteen days after the first application.
4. Watch matters closely, and if necessary, spray the third time, three weeks after the second application; but this may not be required, depending largely upon the season.

In the discussion of President Lelong's paper, it was brought out that a large percentage of the Paris green used by fruit-growers is so much adulterated as to be of comparatively little worth as an insecticide. Anything called Paris green and offered for sale at less than say 25 cents a pound, in 10 to 25 pound lots, may be set down as too much adulterated to be of much use. Twenty cents a pound, in kegs holding 250 pounds, is as cheap as a fairly pure article can be obtained in San Francisco from reliable wholesale druggists. There is no trouble in getting a practically pure article if orchardists are willing to pay the above prices; but it may as well be understood that the stuff offered at 12 to 15 cents per pound is not a profitable Paris green to buy, for the reason that it does not contain sufficient poison to do the work required. It is a waste of time and money to use this cheap material in spraying fruit trees.

Mr. Lelong cited the experience of the fruit-growers of Michigan, showing that only good Paris green should be used; also, that the fruit-growers in western New York habitually use about one pound of lime and one pound of Paris green to 200 gallons of water. The lime prevents "burning" of the leaves. Mr. Overacker uses wheat flour in his Paris green mixtures, and finds it very effective.

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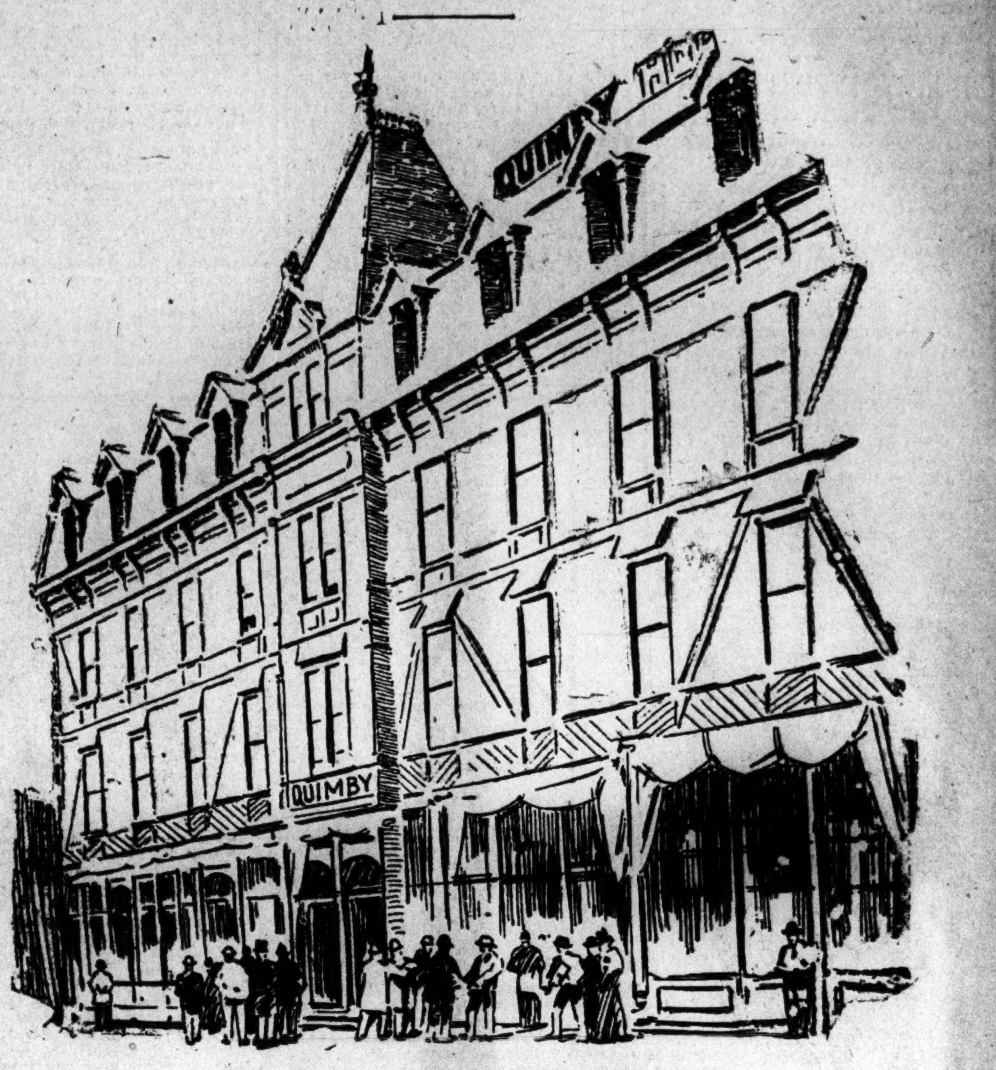

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PORTLAND (Or.,) Feb. 5.

I send you herewith the photographs of some of the best people of Portland, and I write to tell you that Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla has touched the hearts of the people of this city. I have personally spoken to and noted the different people of the Quimby House who have used Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla, and they all praise the great remedy.

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The Hon. D. J. Quimby is now one of the leading business men of Portland, and I was interested in him today for nearly two hours. We spoke of the result of the new bond issue, and we agreed in looking forward to a good spring business. "Well," said he, "I'm glad it is coming. I feel able to cope with any amount of extra work. I am really and truly a strong man. I was not in good spirits or health a few months ago, but that was before I used the

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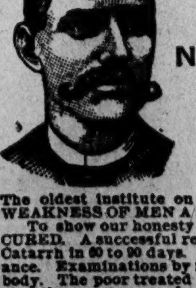

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CRICKET IN PETTICOATS.

GREAT SPRING GAME BETWEEN TWO TEAMS OF GIRLS.

The Oldest Athletic Club for Women in This Country Has Challenged the Germantown Eleven to Meet Them at the Wickets.

(CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

A year or two ago, a year ago indeed, cricket was one of the games that women in this country could look on at, but not indulge in.

We have changed all that now and "ladies' cricket matches" are taking their place among pastimes for the maidens of this end of the century.

Although it is only a few months ago that a woman's eleven was formed—and this at Livingston, Staten Island—so brave have the damsels become and so skilful as fielders, batters and bowlers, that they have challenged another ladies' eleven of Germantown, Pa., and

IN POSITION.

a match game between the two teams is now being arranged and will come off in a few weeks.

A NOVEL SUGGESTION.

All the young women of Staten Island, with athletic proclivities, belong to the Ladies' Club, the oldest and largest association of its kind for women in this country. They play tennis, croquet, golf and badminton, and not long since, one enterprising damsel propounded a conundrum—"Why don't we play cricket?"

Why not, indeed? There seemed only one way to solve the problem and that was by investing in bats and balls and learning all about a "popping crease" and "byes" and "wides" and "maiden-overs" and "long field on" and "long field off."

Just at first the Staten Island eleven—the feminine eleven—preferred to play without too many spectators; indeed, it was noticed that the time they chose for batting and bowling was when their brothers and their cousins had gone over to the other side of the island to play golf.

But the next thing these same brothers and cousins knew they were playing a match game of cricket with their

GAME IN FULL SWING.

eleven, captained by a girl, and behold the masculine cricketers were beaten—possibly because they played left-handed and batted with baseball bats instead of cricket bats "to make it more even," as some one explained.

The history of cricket as played by the young women of Philadelphia is similar. Upon occasions, young girls have played cricket, "just for the fun of it," but of late, they have gone into the game in dead earnest, with Miss Agnes Morgan captain of the eleven.

FAMOUS WOMEN CRICKETERS.

At Staten Island there are two teams—the Livingstons, captained by Miss Marion Bruce Heineken, and the Richmonds, captained by Miss McNamee.

Of the 300 members of the Ladies' Club, twenty-four play cricket.

As to their instructor, they have been coached by Lohmann, a professional, he is a brother of Lohmann of Surrey, Eng., who is noted as being one of the best all-round cricketers in the world.

The usual two-pound-four-ounce bat is used and the regulation five-and-three-quarter-ounce ball. In connection with fielding, the girls have attained a remarkable degree of efficiency in throwing the ball—which is really a new accomplishment; for woman's lack of skill in this direction dates from time immemorial; but at Staten Island, the unwary batswoman who ventures far from her wicket is apt to be caught napping by a well-directed and accurate throw-in of the ball by a fair fielder.

And the pretty gowns these fair cricketers wear! And a pretty gown ought to cover a multitude of errors in play. Skirts and jackets of white duck an inch or so shorter than an ordinary walking skirt, white shirt waists, sailor hats of white straw with scarlet bands, belts and cravats; this is the uniform of the Richmond XI; the Livingstons substitute light blue for red, otherwise the dress is identical. Tennis shoes, with spikes on the bottom, are worn.

A CLEVER CONTEST.

In the game which the young ladies put up against the gentlemen, playing left-handed, the latter were defeated by seven wickets.

The men went to the wickets first, Miss Scrymser and Miss Bennett opened the attack. There was quick fielding and good bowling on the part of the girls, and all the men were out for seventy runs. Then the ladies went to the wickets with every chance of victory. The men ranged themselves in the field, and two maidens faced the bowling. In perfect style, they played the left-handed attempts of the men bowlers, and presently the fair side was out for ninety-three. The men, protesting that with time they could secure the victory, were sent in again. St. George Walker and his brother, R. Walker, formed a partnership, which was the only stand of the afternoon, Miss Bennett being especially successful with the ball.

With a short time to play, the ladies batted with the idea of winning on both innings. The Misses Edwards and McNamee hit out in fine style, until the latter was caught. When Miss Scrymser joined Miss Edwards's runs came quickly, and in the end the ladies had gained a victory over champion cricketers by seven wickets.

THE COMING GAME.

Miss Marion Heineken, captain of the Livingstons, plays all games—tennis, golf and croquet—as well as cricket, but cricket has the largest place in her affections. She considers it the best exercise possible for a woman, and not nearly as violent as tennis. Having but a superficial knowledge of cricket myself, I was glad to imbibe any information on the subject, and if among the readers of this there are any, who are as yet not initiated into its mysteries, they may be glad of the hint Miss Heineken imparted.

A word to the wise just here: Cricket is the coming game for young women; sooner or later, they are going to wield the willow and go in for fielding and bowling, so it is just as well to become familiarized at once with some of the technical terms—"wides," for instance; this is when the ball goes too far to the right or left for the batter to hit, and counts one for the other side. A wicket consists of three stumps with pieces of wood called bails on top, and must not exceed eight inches in width. The popping crease, where the batter stands, is four feet in front of the wicket. The bowler's crease is six feet eight inches in length, and is drawn in a line with the wickets. Each bowler sends five or six balls, according to agreement before the game, in succession from her end; that constitutes an over. The original meaning of "over" is that the fielders change over when the bowling commences at the other end. A maiden-over is when no runs are made in an over.

DIANA CROSSWAYS.

Demand for Linotypes.

The Merganthaler Linotype Company states that it is now delivering an average of eighty machines a month, chiefly to small newspapers. This shows, faintly, the extent of the revolution that the printing business is passing through.

FOR SMALL FRY.

SUMMER FASHIONS APPROVED BY LITTLE MAIDS AND MASTERS.

The Best Fabrics and Styles Are Those that Can Stand the Wear and Tear of the Laundry—Sunbonnets Are to the Fore for Every-day Use.

(CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, April 13.—New wash clothes for children—rather apparel so-called—are both prettier and more sensible than ever this year.

There is little of the wash-tub air about the way in which some of the dressiest of the little costumes are trimmed, but, though of the most flower-like delicacy, the new colors are enduring.

FOR VERY YOUNG PEOPLE.

There are solid piques in sky blue and apple-blossom pink that make smart and useful summer suits for maids from 4 to 10.

White Hamburg embroideries in edging and insertion trim the reefer coats of these appropriately, outlining big turn-back revers and elaborate cape collars, and edging or simulating cuffs for the sleeves.

The plain skirts have usually strapped seams, and for the oldest ages are cut to hang in front with a suggestion of the grown-up box plait.

Pink pique is also used for small gentlemen in the baby stages, and takes the shape of cape cloaks and mannish little suits consisting of a reefer coat and kilted skirt.

Blue being a girl's color, the sky-blue pique is not used for boys. In white pique, duck linen—homespun and brown linen—which may be said to be a universal material this season—there are any number of neat and inexpensive coat-and-skirt suits that can be bought ready made for both boys and girls. Russian crash, a stout grayish linen,

FROCKS FOR THE LITTLE FOLKS.

PINK PIQUE SUIT.

which has much of the look of kitchen crash, is in high favor for rough summer use for both sexes.

CRASH SUITS.

A plain skirt and reefer coat is the model for girls in this material, which appears as well in natty little bloomers and blouses for bicycle use.

For young gentlemen up to 10 there are matelot suits in the Russian crash that, with their long bell trousers and very low-neck blouses, have quite a professional sailor air.

Great sailor collars appear on these. The proper caper is to have the shield front perfectly plain, though the shields of other matelot suits show anchors and braids in contrasting colors. Coarse

BLUE SERGE AND GREEN LINEN.

hemp watchchains, drawn taut across the breast from two patch pockets on the blouse are a genuine "salt" finish to these serviceable little suits.

FROCKS OF BATISTE.

But chief among the sensible textures used for girls of almost all ages are the linen batistes and grass linens in every shade of sage and brown. These copy in smaller patterns all the designs of the day, the open guipure insertions, crinkled ribbon stripes and embroidered dots and figures.

Trimmings for these little frocks are likewise grown up to a degree. White and unbleached guipure laces edge revers, collars and bretelles of all sorts and with knots of taffeta or velvet ribbon many a tiny linen gown will show a flower-hued lining of rich silk.

Indeed color is to be this summer a feature of clothes for even the smallest girls, through many delightful little toilets are still seen in pure white.

PARISIAN MODELS.

The French models in particular evidence a leaning toward color, and there are Indian dimity and batiste costumes showing Dresden effects that are extremely charming.

With sheer white textiles, mulls, Swisses, plain batiste and Indian lawns, there are often linings of colored silk with waist and shoulder knots or ribbon to match. A summer cloak of white dotted Swiss lined with pink, rose or blue silk, is a novelty for girls from 3 to 5.

There are also Swisses with pink and blue dots that with dainty decorations of lace and rosettes of baby ribbon appear in gowns and cloaks, shirred sun hats, and poke bonnets.

The dressiest costumes for girls under 6 are made very short, reaching barely to the knee. In the Paris models the majority of these are high-necked and long-sleeved, with a dashing little bunching of the shaped skirt breadths at the back to give the look of a bustle being worn.

SENSIBLE STYLES.

More practical designs, however, are shown, composed of the full gathered skirt—simply hemmed or with a four-inch hem and three tucks—and low-necked, short-sleeve body long in favor.

Elaborate gamps of mull and lace, with long bishop sleeves, are supplied for these.

Then, with this expanse of white, the little colored gown will be further relieved by a bib or bertha fall of the same.

Made in this way there are some delightful little costumes in dimities, organdies and French muslins to be found ready made in the shops. Yellow Valenciennes lace and plain and point d'esprit footing are the edgings most used on the gamps and bodice decorations.

FOR COUNTRY USE.

For every-day summer use there are the usual delicately figured and striped linen lawns, cambrics and percales that, come weal or woe, appear every year.

As usual, too, these are trimmed with the serviceable Hamburg embroideries, the solid standbys of the laundress. All are made as simply as possible for washing purposes, and, as last season, here and there pale tones will have effective bands of black satin or velvet ribbon slipped through white entre deux.

For country use many mothers are having frocks made for the small fry of the new madras ginghams, which, in delicate blue, green and pink stripes, are in weaves of extreme fineness.

A washable material for sailor collars and revers of cheviot, serge and flannel suits is a thick linen canvas that comes in white and color.

A dull red, a china blue and art greens are the tones in this; whitewash embroideries often edging the big collars effectively.

A combination of blue serge and grass-green linen is a French novelty that embraces a miss's privilege.

A HAPPY SUGGESTION.

The miss's toilet pictured shows a combination of this sort, and it will be found in smart and useful models for all ages between 12 and 17.

The plain skirt and belted blouse are

HOMESPUN SUIT.

of the serge, the wrinkled sleeves, gamp and bretelles of the linen.

Sunbonnets for small girls are more than ever plentiful this season, as are also dainty frilled and lace-trimmed aprons in all degrees of dressiness.

A "split" sunbonnet is made of striped and checked ginghams and is delightfully quaint over round serious little faces.

The poke revival is shown in others in plain chambrays, and these, as well as the sun hats in the same materials, are shirred over cords and have often rosettes of lace and bows of ribbon.

Poke bonnets for dressy use run much to rough straw crowns and frilled gauze fronts with plain trimmings of old maid roses and white ostrich feathers.

Last, but not least, leather belts will be worn by both boys and girls. Then, since French children are wearing socks, black or white socks are to be the thing for maids up to 6, as well as for their baby brothers.

NINA FITCH.

Mrs. Louise Chandler Moulton is unable to make an intended visit to the South, owing to a broken arm, caused by slipping in the street in Boston the other day.

A FRUIT COSMETIC.

THE LEMON FOR THE TOILET. ITS BENEFITS INNUMERABLE.

For Complexion, Hair, Nails, Teeth and Bath There is No Equal to the Natural Acidity of Lime or Lemon Juice.

(CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

The very latest cosmetic is the lemon. In countries where they grow as freely as apples do in the temperate zone, this fact is appreciated, and their virtues availed of; but their admirable qualities are worthy of wider knowledge. Lemons are not so costly, even in the coldest countries, that women may not easily afford to use this tropical aid to the toilet.

FOR THE SKIN.

In the care of the complexion it is invaluable, particularly in summer, when a few drops squeezed in the water in which the face is washed removes all greasiness and leaves the skin fresh and velvety. A little lemon juice rubbed on the cheeks before going to bed and allowed to dry there will remove freckles and sunburn and whiten the skin, besides giving it a charming smoothness and softness to the touch. This should be done about three times a week, both winter and summer, and is of the greatest aid to such complexions as are afflicted with enlarged and blackened pores. These enlarged pores are due to deficient circulation of the blood and are to be greatly aided by vigorous rubbing with a coarse towel every time the face is washed.

Those who lead a sedentary life find the circulation feeblest about the nose, lips and temples, and these parts of the face should be energetically rubbed and kneaded several time a day. When the pores become distended the fine invisible dust in the air enters and clogs and blackens them. Mere ordinary face washing, even when warm water and soap are used, is not sufficient to remove this dirt in the pores, but the vigorous acid of the lemon will cleanse and carry off all such unsightly blemishes.

IN THE TUB.

In the West Indies a lemon bath is almost a daily luxury. Three or four limes or lemons are sliced into the water, which is drawn half an hour before using, so that the fruit juice may have a chance to permeate, and the deliciousness of such tubbing must be felt to be appreciated. The sense of cleanliness and freshness it gives and the suppleness and smoothness it imparts to the skin is an experience not soon forgotten. The lemon is more than a substitute for the bran bath bags which were invented by the French and which exquisites think so necessary for the toilet.

IN CARING FOR THE TEETH.

Half a teaspoonful of the juice of the lemon squeezed into a glass of water and used for brushing the teeth gives the mouth the same feeling of cleanliness that the lemon bath gives to the skin. It is particularly grateful when sickness renders the mucous and salivatory excretions of the mouth unpleasant. Not more than half a teasoonful should be used, as a powerful acid is bad for the enamel, but on occasion the proportions may be increased, as lemon is an active deodorizer, and will remove the smell of onions or tobacco from the mouth.

WHEN WASHING THE HAIR.

As a hair wash and tonic it has no rival. For the former purpose a large, juicy lemon should be cut in half, the head dipped into a bowl of water, from which the chill only must be removed, and the water made of the same temperature as the air—and the lemon rubbed and squeezed vigorously among the roots and along the length of the hair. Soak and rub the head well in this bath, and then rinse thoroughly in fresh water of the same warmth. If well dried at once with energetic towelling there will never be the smallest danger of cold. No soap is needed. The acid of the lemon absolutely removes all grease and dust, and the hair, after such a bath, is soft, glossy and clean. This lemon bath once a week will have the most beneficial effect upon the hair, stimulating its growth, delaying the coming of grayness and making it beautifully pliable and polished.

ON THE NAILS.

For manicuring the lemon is absolutely indispensible. A teaspoonful of the juice in a cupful of tepid water whitens and supples the nails and removes all grease and dirt, making them much more easy to polish. This should be used every morning, and by dabbling the fingers a few moments it is possible to make the nails perfectly clean and transparent, without the use of any metal cleaner, by simply rubbing them with a towel. It is also most beneficial in removing the skin around the nail edges, which should never by any chance be cut with scissors. Rub the towel firmly all about the nail, pushing back the skin; do this regularly every day, and after a few weeks the skin growth will disappear and never return as long as the treatment is continued. The comparison of nails kept in this way with those subjected to the barbarous method of skin-clipping will at once show the advantage of the former manner of treatment.

Finally, the lemon upon the toilet table is a great aid to health. The juice of a lemon squeezed into a large breakfast cup of water, drunk without sugar, immediately upon rising and as hot as can be borne, is the most admirable tonic and alterative. No one should form the habit of taking even the mildest alterative, but if the head feels heavy and dull, or one is conscious of languor and discomfort upon rising, this lemon draught is one of the best and simplest methods of clearing out the system and restoring its tone.

E. B. W.

No Desire to Proceed.

A prisoner was in the dock on a serious charge of stealing, says the London Tit-Bits, and the case having been presented to the court by the prosecuting solicitor, he was ordered to stand up.

"Have you a lawyer?" asked the Court.

"No, sir."

"Are you able to employ one?"

"No, sir."

"Do you want a lawyer to defend the case?"

"Not particklar, sir,"

"Well, what do you propose to do about the case?"

"We-ll-ll," with a yawn. "I'm willin' to drop the case, far's I'm concerned."

Louis Napoleon's Prediction.

A correspondent of the New York Sun calls attention to the fact that in his "Recollections of a Minister to France" Mr. Washburn says: "I was somewhat surprised to hear him (Napoleon III) remark that he thought Spain could not hold Cuba, and that the result would be that she would sacrifice all her soldiers and spend all her money and then lose the island in the end."

The Latest Fad.

(Chicago Post:) "I think I'll run for President." "You," "Certainly. Why not?" "There's absolutely no possibility of your being elected." "Of course not; but that's true of nearly all of the candidates, and I don't see why I haven't as much right to run as the rest of them. It seems to be a fad this year."

Senator Morrill of Vermont was 86 years old on April 14.

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PRECAUTIONS FOR PROTECTING HOUSES CLOSED FOR SUMMER.

Strange Experiences of Men to Whom Houses Are Turned Over in Trust—How One Great Firm Guards the Jewels.

(CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

In these days of globe-trotting, of enticing winter resorts, of country homes, of summer cottages and attractive hotels at mountain and seashore, the Lares and Penates of city houses are often left to console one another's loneliness for many months in the year. Time was when these household gods were a perplexing burden to their owners, anxiety for their safety costing many an otherwise joyous, care-free moment.

But who shall be able to estimate the enormous load of anxiety that that silent, invisible, but omnipotent force of nature, electricity, has lifted from the shoulders of even the rich and great.

Now, by merely stepping into a burglar-alarm office and paying a comparatively nominal sum, any householder may leave his home for an indefinite period with the absolute certainty that his possessions, however valuable, will be as safe from depredation as though he himself were mounting guard.

Not a door or window can be opened, not a partition or wire cut, in fact, the slightest disturbance cannot take place night or day without immediately transmitting a message of warning to the vigilant watchers at the central office that will bring two men with all possible speed to the point molested.

During my recent interview at the burglar-alarm office, such a ring of warning sounded. The two men who were dispatched post haste soon returned to report that a brickbat had been thrown through one of the windows of a beautiful house; perhaps wantonly but more probably to ascertain to what extent the house was protected; for even crooks shun a house under the supervision of the burglar-alarm company, as the superstitious shun ghosts.

As soon as a house left in charge of the company is vacated, representatives of the office are sent to make a careful investigation of the premises and report as to the equipment and general condition.

By means of investigation they often obviate the evil results of the carelessness of families, who, perhaps, have been obliged to leave home in haste, and the still greater carelessness of servants to whom the duty of leaving the domestic outfit in the proper condition has been intrusted. Sometimes these representatives have come upon rare jewels in the most exposed condition on dressing-table or bureau, a valuable watch under a pillow, costly bric-a-brac and silver on mantel and sideboard; they have even found valuable furs wholly unprotected from the depredations of moths, and upon one occasion a roll of money loose on a table.

It is the duty of the company to look after every such detail with the utmost care. In addition to their perfect electric service they also employ a large patrol force of uniformed men, who cover the best parts of the city and keep an extra watchful eye upon the special property committed to their charge. In view of this perfect equipment, perhaps it is not strange that they should rejoice in the proud record of never having had a mischance happen to any property under their immediate supervision.

also owe a debt of gratitude to modern enterprise for lifting from their minds all anxiety as to their care and absolute safety. For a merely nominal sum, safety-deposit boxes may be rented, in which family jewels are as safe as they could possibly be under armed guards. In fact, few women nowadays, who have large possessions in the way of jewels, ever have them out of the vaults, except when wearing them. If a lady wishes her diamonds for any particular occasion, she has merely to leave word at her jeweler's, and they are delivered at her house, and called for the next day. Indeed, in some instances, as was the case with Langtry on her last visit to America, the jewels are returned the same night.

These deposit boxes are an especial convenience for the summer months, for women of the smart set do not carry their jewels to their country homes Even at the smartest functions of ultra fashionable summer homes, diamonds are conspicuous by their absence.

The best of the safety-deposit boxes are to be found at the houses of large jewelers. At one of the largest firms in America, seven watchmen go on every night at 6 o'clock, and every nook and corner of the building is gone ever every fifteen minutes, so that not even a fire could get any headway before discovered. The building is also in close connection with the burglar-alarm office, so that the slightest disturbance to the electrical current would give immediate warning to the tireless watchers there.

The safes are each surrounded by a cabinet, which, when closed, resembles a large wardrobe. This cabinet is lined throughout with metal sensitive to the lightest electric current, which connects with a galvanometer in the central office.

Thus it is that modern inventions with their forces visible and invisible, lift burdens of anxiety from the minds of men, and defeat many a contemplated crime.

D. M.

Ruinous Luxury.

(New York Mail and Express:) Among the extravagances indulged in by the present Congress is an appropriation of about $11,000,000 to pay the indebtedness on the bonds which Mr. Cleveland issued as collateral for the money he has borrowed to meet the running expenses of the government. That item of expense partly represents the price which the people pay for the unique luxury of an administration which believes in expanding th enation's bonded debt rather than provide for its obligations by increasing its income.

William McKinley's mail at present is an epistolary crazy quilt. He receives hundreds of letters a day from all parts of the country, and the curious nature of some of the letters would furnish him with much amusement if he had time to dwell upon them. One man in Utah wrote to McKinley recently, asking for the position of Minister to England if the latter should be elected President.

James Keene is coming back to California to try his luck again in gold mining. Keene's life has been a remarkable one. He was a poor laborer about the mines, and in some way he got in on the Comstock lode with Crocker. He left the Pacific Coast with $10,000,000, which he lost on wheat; made and lost another fortune in the same way, and made another on the cordage trust that wrecked so many others.

Ex-Gov. McKinley will deliver an address at he Quadrennial General Conference of the Methodist church, which will be held in Cleveland in May.

A Cry of Pain from Chicago.

(Chicago Tribune:) Attendant (of great library.) I beg your pardon, sir, but you will please hand me your scarf pin. Visitor. What's that for? "Our rules require it. Thank you. It will be returned to you when you come out. Now, turn your pockets all wrong side out, if you please." "Why have I got to do that?" "It's one of our regulations. We are obliged to be very strict. In an institution like this, managed for the free use of the public, it is necessary that—thanks. That will do. You will please let them remain wrong side out until you are ready to leave the building. I will place your knife, bunch of keys and pocket-book in the locker, where I have already put your overcoat and cuffs. I shall have to ask you now to step over with me to this little room." "What do you want now." "Merely another precaution required by our rules. We apply the Bertillon system of measurements to all visitors. Thanks. That is all. Leave your coat unbuttoned. You may go in now and remain one hour."

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Substitutes.

CUPID AND HYMEN.

Bab Chats About Weddings and Honeymoons.

Something About Bridal Veils. Modest Maids of Persia.

The Story of the Oriental Maid and Her Canine Confidant—How French, English and German Women Love.

(CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, April 18.—As there are weddings and brides and suggestions of brides and weddings everywhere, one is forced to wonder what the new woman will assume in place of the wedding veil. Naturally, she won't wish to wear that frivolous white tulle thing fancied now, for it is too feminine. Its very origin is essentially womanly. It is claimed for it by the Orientalists that it is a remnant of the eastern canopy, but it is also claimed for it that it had its origin in the behavior of Penelope, who, when she was asked by her father whether she would leave him and go with her husband, did not answer, but drew her veil over her face to hide her blushes. This silence was equivalent to the yes which is said by the modern maiden, only more audibly, and at the altar. There is no doubt about it that the most becoming veil is the soft one of shimmering tulle, that is cream-white in shade, and cloud-like in effect. A bride wants to seem enveloped in it; it must fall behind her and fall in front of her, like part of the heavens, surround her until she really seems a something too good for everyday food, or an ordinary man. The lace veil inherited from our grandmother, which is frequently bought from a smart second-hand shop, is expensive but not becoming. It makes a girl look matronly, and it will suggest the lace lappets worn by Her Royal Highness, Queen Victoria of England, a lady for whom I have the utmost respect, but whose appearance is not suggestive of a bride.

Although you and I would think a bride looked awful in anything but a white veil, opinions differ. The happy Roman bride hid her blushes under a veil of deep yellow. The Persian maid intensified her modesty, as painted on her cheeks, by wearing a veil of rose color. The Greek girl went her one better, and made her blushes look almost fierce by wearing a veil of bright red, while the young lady of Turkey put blushes and eyes and everybody else under cover, that is, as far as seeing anything was concerned, by assuming a veil of brocade, seeded with pearls. The last-named may be magnificent, but it suggests economy. Think of

A GIRL IN A BROCADE VEIL.

Think of a newly-covered sofa! But wherever the bride is there should be some kind of a veil, although, personally, I should prefer the brocade of the Turkish lady to the black one worn by the Spanish girl. It may be coquettish, but it certainly will bring bad luck. I never could fancy a bride without a flesh veil. Even down on the Bowery the young woman who hires a white satin gown not quite new, orange blossoms that have been used before, gets a new veil by paying a little extra.

You and I are inclined to scoff at the girl who hires her white satin wedding frock. There is a good bit more sense in that, however, than in getting one after the fashion of Miss Shabby Genteel. She has very little money and an immense capacity for getting into debt. She reads of the gorgeous wedding frocks worn by women who have millions of their own and who wed millions; then she elects to wear a frock as near like that of Miss Bullion as she can; so, instead of putting her money in a neat little walking suit that will be of use to her afterward, she buys a cheap cotton back satin, lines it with canton flannel, gets a gorgeous tiara of orange blossoms; a superb veil, white kid gloves, white silk stockings and white satin slippers, and the consequence is, in a month's time Miss Shabby Genteel has nothing to wear. She is not invited to houses where white satin is the rule, and in time she realizes exactly how foolish she has been, while she has the doubtful pleasure of wearing her old frocks and weeping over her folly. Of course, a wedding frock can always be cut to advantage to make a baby's cloak, but—well, some people are sentimental.

HEALTH AS A VULGAR BLESSING.

During the days of good Queen Anne it was the thing for a lady never to be quite well. Although the ladies of those days drank and ate until they hid their fiery cheeks, not to mention noses, under powder and rouge galore, still health was counted a vulgar blessing, and those of the court never confessed to possessing it: I only wonder one thing, and that is, how did the men behave in those days, or have they changed, or were they particularly angelic during the reign of good Queen Anne? I think they must have been, or else the ladies of that period would not have had so much pleasure in being not quite well. Nowadays, if a woman is ill, unless she is staring death in the face, the average man regards it as a personal insult. He flies from illness as he might from an invading army, and he is a great deal more afraid of a bad headache or a fever than he is of one of those new guns that shoot a million people at once. When he asks how you are, it is in an aggrieved tone impossible to describe, and if you happen to have enough strength left to argue a little and mention to him that you think it strange he did not send you a few flowers or some dainties, he remarks: "Oh, well, if you were really dying I would probably care a great deal about it all, because, of course, I am really very fond of you, but when you are only a little bit sick, well, it seems unnecessary, and I would rather not be around. Then, too, why didn't you ask for what you wanted?"

WHEN WOMAN WANTS SYMPATHY.

From the standpoint of the coroner, we die once in our lives. But a woman dies a hundred deaths from headache, and heartache, and rheumatism and diseases that verge on pneumonia, but don't quite reach it, and everything else that is unpleasant and not dangerous. And these occasional deaths are the ones when she would like to have a little thought given to her. When she is absolutely dying, she does not care. She is not troubling herself about men, then.

It is while she is living that she would like to be hemembered; when she is under the weather, as were those ladies in the days of Queen Anne, when, perhaps, morals were not quite as good as they are now, but manners were a great deal better, history tells us that during those days the Duchess of Marlborough frequently had straw laid in front of her house, so that she might not hear the carriages go by when she had the headache; and that once, when she was near a garrison, she asked that the morning and evening shooting be stopped, as it hurt her head. And it was stopped. I would like to know just a few things. Do you think the Stock Exchange would stop its hullaballoo because some woman had the headache? Do you think that the abominable express wagons would stop running at night, because some other woman had the heartache? Or do you think a man would stop a game of billiards, because some woman had a wretched cough and was nervous? There is nothing quite as exasperating to anybody who is kept awake by illness as the sound of a game of billiards. Next to it, in order, comes the noise made by a man who is practicing a horn that is to be attached to a four-in-hand in the early June days—both horn and man, I mean. I don't think anything generalizing, would stop because a woman was ill. And yet, it ought to. Most of us women try pretty hard to keep well, and we start handicapped, being women.

THE BABY AND THE DOG.

We do not get very much sympathy from anybody except a baby, or an affectionate dog. You see, a baby has a way of cuddling up to you when it knows you are in trouble, that is consoling in its way, and a dog—he will lie on the foot of the bed and look up at you, and at intervals he will come up and lick your hands to tell you how very sorry he is for you; and he will never be frisk until be begins to notice a bit of meat on your tray, and then he realizes that you are getting better, and suggests in his own way that you might share some of the good things of life with him. He is very knowing, is a dog. He always feels sorry for a woman. I sometimes think he can read her better than a man can. Occasionally when a man don't see tears in a woman's eyes a dog will, and he will stand beside her and brush against her skirt, and do his very best to make her see him, so that she will comprehend she has a friend, and a very sympathetic friend just at her side.

And a friend, too, who will not tell her secrets. A dog can be confided in. You can sit him in front of you and tell him exactly how happy or unhappy you are; exactly what worries you, and you can shake paws with him and pat him on the head, and somehow feel better for it; then, when you meet him in the company of some two-legged puppies, you and he can look at each other and think how much you know, both of you. And he will shake paws again, as much as to say. "Oh, I know but I am not going to tell. I have never told anything for hundreds and hundreds of years." The truth is that it has been thousands of years since a dog talked, and this is how he was made to keep quiet.

THE LEGEND OF CANINE MUTENESS.

Away off in the East in one of the wonderful countries that Moore wrote about, there was a beautiful maiden who loved an equally handsome youth, who was below her in rank, inasmuch as she was a princess. And every day her favorite fox terrier went to him with a message of love, and every day he came back with another message of love. Now, one of the queer Eastern gods was her father, and he had determined to wed her to a great king; but she refused and said she would only marry the man she loved. And she sent word by the little fox terrier to her lover that she would die for his sake, but that she would never become the wife of another man.

And the lover whispered something to the little fox terrier and hid a quaint little bottle in the collar of jewels that was about his neck. That same day the princess heard that a beautiful youth, who was of no standing, had been found dead on the street. Then she permitted her maids to dress her for her wedding. And the little dog asked her if she were going to be unfaithful. And she looked at him as dogs look at women, nowadays. When they fetched her into the temple in all her bridal finery and left her alone to pray, she took from one of the gorgeous jewelled pockets that swung at her side the little bottle that her lover had sent her. And she swallowed its contents. They came to look for the bride, but they found a dead maiden, while beside her was a little dog crying as if his heart would break. And her wicked father called a curse on him, and said that, from that day on until the end of the world no dog should speak except through his eyes. And if you have a bit of doubt about this story you need only, some day when you are in trouble, and a little dog who is fond of you and whom you love is near you, look at him and he will say all that a friend could say, but it will be with his eyes. True? Of course, it is true. If you have any doubt at all about it, that is any further doubt, you need only go to a small village 400 miles from Calcutta and the truth will be sworn to by several priests in the temple there. And when the clergy swear to anything it must be true. Even truer than when women announce certain facts as truths. But this is enough about dogs. Let us return to women.

WEDDINGS AND HONEYMOONS.

Talking about weddings always suggests honeymoons, and talking about honeymoons reminds me of something I heard the other day. It was told by a Frenchman, who said he had thought it out and boiled it down, and to me it did seem very clever. It was the sum of his experience in regard to women of different nations. Of them, he had concluded that the Frenchwoman loves until the end of the honeymoon, the Englishwoman, her whole life, and the German woman, forever. The French woman takes her daughter to a ball, the English woman takes her daughter to church, while the German woman teaches her to cook, how to control her kitchen, and how to make a home. The French woman, it seemed to him, had imagination and vivacity, the English woman had very little taste and great stupidity, while the German woman possessed modesty! He said the French woman chats, the English woman speaks, the German woman renders decisions. When the Spanish woman is jealous, she kills her lover; the French woman kills her rival; the German woman, with dignity, denounces both and gives up the man. But all women, at some time or other, marry. His acquaintance with the American woman was slight. Taking up his line of thought, I should say that she is more like a French woman than any other. Sometimes, however, she has a little of the stupidity of the English woman, since she is of the same blood, but in the American woman this stupidity becomes a fascinating dignity that is to be encouraged. The American woman has no lovers after marriage, so she seldom commits a murder, but she marries, not so much because she loves the man as because the man loves her and refuses to take "no" for an answer.

Then, too, it is the fashion just now to marry. It always is in the early spring months and in June. Later on the bachelor girl has her innings. It would seem as if everything in life was a matter of seasons since love-making is guided by the ruling star. At least, I suppose it is the ruling star, though I have no knowledge whatever of astrology. The only astrologer I ever met charged $2, and said that the star over me caused me to lose many things. Ever since then I have been a firm believer in the science, for I could employ two able-bodied men to go through the town every day, ringing bells and announcing my losings but I have not as yet, and I shall not as long as the newspaper remains the great power that it is, and one can put in an advertisement for a dollar and eighty-one cents, an advertisement in which is described all the fine points and accomplishments to the dog lost by

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FRESH LITERATURE.

A Story of Temptation.

THE DAMNATION OF THERON WARE. By Harold Frederic. (Chicago: Stone & Kimball.)

The novel should be a valuable teacher when it correctly analyzes human character and helps men to see themselves as others see them. The book before us ought to be this, although there is nothing dogmatic in its pages, and the story is charmingly told. It gets down to the very core of the hero's inner life and illustrates very forcibly how weakly susceptible to flattery the average man is, especially when the siren who flatters is a young and beautiful woman.

The contrast between Methodism and Catholicism is strongly drawn and the difference in their methods of propagating their peculiar views and gathering in accessions to their numbers is well delineated. It is not a religious novel, but denominational views and practices are incidental and give strength to the story.

Theron Ware, the hero, has made the too common mistake of many ordinary men, in that he deems himself unjustly dealt with because the great ability with which he credits himself is not recognized by the world. He is moving along with the common herd when, according to his own estimate, he should be upon the higher levels of life, where great deeds are done and the world applauds.

The reader rather likes him at the outset when he enters his new parish with his whole heart in his work, for there seems to be a noble manhood underlying all his efforts, but the process of degeneration is clearly drawn, and finally little but scorn is felt for him when, attracted by the brilliancy, the beauty and charm of a wealthy Catholic maiden, we find him contrasting her with his overburdened wife, who has borne with him so uncomplainingly the hardships of his life of poverty, laying aside one by one the accomplishments that had brightened her girlhood that she might have the more time for the duties necessitated by a meager purse. Of these facts he apparently loses sight, and finally regards himself as a martyr and dreams of life as it might be if he were but allied to such beauty and accomplishments as he finds in his young Catholic friend.

The sequel of the story we will allow the reader to discover for himself, simply stating that there is a long season of unhappiness and darkness, and then the light breaks and ultimately a regenerated manhood is revealed.

On the Tented Field.

TRUMPETER FRED. A story of the Plains. By Capt. Charles King, U.S.A. Author of "Fort Frayne," "An Army Wife," etc. (New York and Chicago: F. Tennyson Neely.)

"Trumpeter Fred" is a boyish young soldier to whom the reader's heart goes out at once with a feeling of trust and affection from the time that he makes his acquaintance as a happy prattler in camp, fond of the blue-coated boys, to the time when he finds himself on the tented plain in the midst of Indian ambuscades and dangers of every sort such as beset those who do battle with the red man.

Capt. King knows well how to depict the scenes of which he writes, and the reader feels the atmosphere of the plains about him as he peruses these pages, and almost holds his breath as he catches sight of curling smoke in the distance that betokens the presence of the foe. Very stirring, indeed, are the adventures in which "Trumpeter Fred" takes a heroic part, but the foes which he encounters are not alone among the attacking savages, but the most treacherous are found in the ranks of the troops among which he serves.

The story is told in Capt. King's own inimitable way, and the book is full of the stirring incidents of frontier warfare, and affords the reader a full glimpse of the every-day life of the Indian fighter. Trumpeter Fred is a brave hero who will win the outspoken admiration of his boy readers, and as they close the little volume they will feel that it is the noblest thing in life to be brave and true.

A Poem.

LINCOLN'S GRAVE. By Maurice Thompson. (Cambridge and Chicago: Stone & Kimball.)

This small volume contains a poem of thirty-six verses of ten lines each, upon the theme which gives title to the volume, and never sang Maurice Thompson better, inspired as he is with love and admiration for the nation's noblest martyr. As a sample of his verse take the following:

"Oh, nevermore the tide of life shall turn
Backward upon the dark and savage past;
The flame he lit shall grow and stronger burn
With incense farther-blowing to the last!
Why build for him a monument or tomb,
Or carve his name on any temple's stone,
Or speak of him as one whose soul has fled?
No mausoleum's gloom,
No minster space, no pyramid grand and lone,
Can shut on him or prove that he is dead.

"He is not dead. France knows he is not dead;
He stirs strong hearts in Spain and Germany,
In far Siberian mines his words are said,
He tells the English Ireland shall be free,
He calls poor serfs about him in the night,
And whispers of a power that laughs at kings,
And of a force that breaks the strongest chain;
Old tyranny feels his might
Tearing away its deepest fastenings,
And jeweled sceptres threaten him in vain.

"Years pass away, but freedom does not pass;
Thrones crumble, but man's birthright crumbles not,
And, like the wind across the prairie grass,
A whole world's aspirations fan this spot
With ceaseless panting after liberty,
One breath of which would make dark Russia fair,
And blow sweet summer through the exile's cave,
And set the exile free.
For which I pray here in the open air
Of Freedom's morning tide, by Lincoln's grave."

Magazines of the Month.

The American Magazine of Civics is to the front, as usual, in the discussion of all that concerns good government, good citizenship, right and social order. Among the notable contents of the current number are "A Legislative Remedy for Labor Disputes," by Herbert Armitage Drake; "Morals and Politics," by Cardinal Gibbons, which is an able discussion of the science of human duty, politics and social life, the politician and the people. In it he shows conclusively that "honesty is the best policy, and the best politics," and discusses political organization as a necessity, and naturally arrives at the conclusion, that "the politician must be just to all classes—to the State," as well as to the individual, if we would have politics more than a game of chance, more than mere "jingoism." An able article on "William McKinley and the Presidency," is from the pen of Ned Arden Flood, and will be read with eager interest. The remaining articles are excellent, and treat of many different themes.

The Chatterbox, published by Estes & Lauriat, Boston, is just the most delightful of magazines for little people, and is fully and charmingly illustrated. It has a variety of stories and verse, together with descriptive matter enough to satisfy and charm the most exacting of its juvenile readers, among which will be found "The Treasures of San Antonio," an illustrated story of adventure in search of buried treasures, by F. Russell, and a bit of natural history entitled "The Games of Swallows."

The Home Magazine, Washington, D. C., is full of fresh and instructive suggestions for the home circle, matters of dress, latest fashions, hints for the dining-room, suggestions for the toilet, society matters, etc.

Harper's Round Table of the 7th inst. opens with a finely suggestive article entitled "How to Start in Life," by Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, in which he treats of life upon the ranch, its advantages, etc.; "Boy Troopers," by Richard Barry, will be read with interest by every boy. The whole number is excellent.

Books Received.

PRETTY MICHAL. (A Szep Mikal.) By Maurus Jokai. (Chicago and New York: Rand, McNally & Co.)

LITERARY COMMENT.

Some Suggestions to Young Illustrators.

(The American Bookmaker:) There is, as has already been said, a great overcrowding in the field of pen drawing. The rapidity and ease with which reproductions are made, and the manifest favor which the public exhibits toward illustration, have attracted to the work of drawing a vast army of aspirants, numbers of whom are endowed with very little talent. In fact, a great many are less drawn by artistic instinct than the genteel aspects of the work and an exaggerated idea of its rewards. Of necessity a majority of them must remain obscure—a not deplorable result if that alone were the consequence; but capacity and assurance frequently exhibit themselves in inverse ratio toward each other, and real talent, which is usually modest, suffers in its competitive struggle with mediocrity. There is no desire on the part of the writer to discourage any one who enters the field with a serious purpose, even if that serious purpose may be no finer than that of making money.

For the beginner who feels that the shortest path to money-making must be taken there is, perhaps, no better way to study the effect of lines and values of light and shade than to practice on the silver print. It is a purely mechanical process, a mere tracing of outlines; but, nevertheless, it has distinct advantages, especially in the practice of portrait drawing. Here, as elsewhere, however, only the talented few quickly grasp the essential details of the art of making good silver prints; the many will do well to exercise painstaking patience and close observation in their practice. The necessity for this is made apparent by a study of newspaper art, particularly the scores of unrecognizable portraits which daily adorn the pages of public prints. Some preliminary knowledge of the laws of light and the relation of shadow to surface modeling is necessary even in practicing this crude and mechanical art, which is by no means recommended as anything more than good preliminary practice in outline drawing.

There is one thing in particular which the would-be illustrator would do well to remember, and that is that to be a specialist requires a great deal more imagination and genius than to be an all-around worker. The specialist, no matter how fresh and original his work may appear to the public to whom it is addressed, has a perpetual battle with monotony. To keep out of the ruts is as needful as a good technic. It is certainly a great thing to conquer by the sheer force of individuality in one line of delineation, as C. D. Gibson has done, but no matter how perfect the performance, harping upon one string will in time become wearisome to a variety-loving public, not well posted in art beyond a certain pleasure in finished results.

In illustrating a book all things may be considered as important in a measure, and the pleasure of variety is nowhere more quickly appreciated. While it is certain that in all strong and enduring fiction, for example, the greatest interest will always center in the dramatis personae, yet the appreciative reader fully understands the influence of environment upon character, and will have a keen interest in the surroundings of the people in the book, welcoming the landscapes, the architecture, the sea views, the animals or whatever else contributes a thread to the web of the tale and assists in clarifying the meaning. Then, too, as an argument which will appeal with force to a great many, the versatile artist may generally be sure of continuous employment, especially if good draughtsmanship is backed by a sympathetic insight. To be equipped and ready to answer any call must always impress patrons favorably, to say the least, and while the all-around worker may not rise to the dizzy heights of the successful specialist, there is perhaps compensation in contributing to the pleasure of a wider range of taste.

Another matter is worth considering briefly, and that is method. Artists in black and white, when once sure of their public, do pretty much as they please. That is, they adhere to no particular method, and are bound by no precise system, but are continually getting at effects in ways known only to themselves. This is the privilege of trained faculties, and it contributes in no small degree to the great variety of method found in the collected work of a number of artists in black and white. By studying such a collection it will be seen that there are many ways of securing certain effects—rounded surfaces for example—but it will be noticed also that primarily all such effects are secured by shading. Thus you may get them by simple vertical lines, or slightly curved, horizontal or vertical lines or cross-hatching over slightly curved lines, or by curved cross-hatching, and so on, but whether you get the true rounded effect depends entirely on how the light and shadow have been treated. These hints are offered to show that even genius is not independent of law, and that no matter how great the variety of method, there are underlying principles which must be studied, understood and followed by great and small alike. Rounded surfaces have been cited here, but the same principle applies to all modeled forms, simple outline alone being independent of the law of light and shade.

The direction of light is another matter which young draughtsmen are often disposed to regard lightly; yet it is the very pith and marrow of all drawing save simple outline. Many a nice bit of flower or foliage work, true and clever in other respects, has been spoiled by irrelevant patches of light and shade worked in anywhere without reference to the direction of the light. Now if there is any light at all—and without it modeling is impossible—it must of necessity have one general direction. Usually artists choose an oblique direction for their light, as it gives greater variety to the shadows, and it will be seen at once that light coming in a straight line from above, below, behind, or before would not secure in as great a degree that most pleasing characteristic of good picture-making. However, the point here made is that the study of form necessitates the study of light and shade, and that it is a matter of less consequence whether vertical, horizontal, curved, cross-hatched, short or long lines are employed, so long as the shading is relatively true to nature. It may, indeed, be said that the character of the work will usualy determine the character of the lines best suited to secure the desired results, and that no two illustrations can be treated in precisely the same manner. Observation and practice will disclose these artistic truths to the earnest student in due time.

Books, Booklets and Brochures.

As predicted, the tide of peper-covered literature, dear to the heart of the railway vender and the "summer girl," has turned toward the flood, and soon will reach high-water mark. It has been hoped that this season would show some marked improvement in the cover designs of this ubiquitous class of literature, but the same old, meaningless half-tones are yet in the ascendant, the only noticeable difference being that they are poorer than those which have gone before. Some of the larger publishing houses, however, are giving more attention to the paper cover, and several designs have come under notice which were artistic and attractive. A few of the shoals of "library" publications have uniform cover-designs, only the lettering being changed. This uniformity is not as much appreciated by publishers as it should be. A handsomely-designed cover on serial books is soon associated with the house issuing it, and thus becomes the most effective of advertisements. This is, of course, a sordid view to take of the matter, but the pocket-nerve is extremely sensitive. Cheapness is the reason for the presence of the half-tone on covers; stock cuts can be bought of almost any engraving concern, and then, too, rejected drawings often go a-begging for purchasers.

Prof. Harrison's Estimate of George Eliot.

"Of all the more important tales, 'Silas Marner' is that wherein we least feel excessive thoughtfulness. And thus it is the best. Perhaps other born romancers would have thrown into it more life, energy, jollity, or passion. Thackery would have made the weaver rather ridiculous; Dickens would have made Eppie a sentimental angel; Charlotte Bronte would have curdled our blood; Trollope might have made more of Nancy's courting. But no one of them could have given us a more lofty lesson 'of the remedial influences of pure, natural, human relations.' The only doubt is whether a novel is the medium for such lessons. On this, opinions are, and will remain, divided.

"When we ask for a romance fully developed and not a graceful vignette, 'Adam Bede' must be regarded as the principal, and with the wider public it is the typical work of George Eliot. She said herself that it seemed to her 'impossible that she should ever write anything so good and true again'—and herein she was no doubt right. It is the only one of her works in prose or verse which we feel to be inevitable, spontaneous, written out of the abundance of enjoyment and experience. It is of all her books the heartiest, the wittiest, the most cheerful, or rather the least desponding. In that book, perhaps, she exhausted herself and her own resources of observation as an eye-witness.

"'The Mill on the Floss' must always be very interesting to all who knew George Eliot and loved her work, if for no other reason for its autobiographic and personal touches and its revelation of yearnings and misgivings hardly suspected in life. There are scenes and minor characters in it which hold their own against 'Adam Bede,' but as a whole it is not so strong or so rich in color, and it can hardly be said to occupy new ground.

"With respect to 'Romola,' though we must all agree with Mr. Oscar Browning that it is 'replete with learning,' 'weighted with knowledge in every page,' exquisite in art, and so forth, it is really impossible to call it with him 'the best historical novel ever written.' Even in exact reproduction of another age, it cannot compare with 'Esmond,' and how immeasurably as romance is it beneath the fire and movement of a dozen historical romances that one could name! The beauty of the Florentine pictures, the enormous care thought and reading lavished on the story, the variety of literary resource—all make it a most memorable work, a work almost sui generis, a book which every student of Italy, every lover of Florence, must mark, learn and inwardly digest. But to call it complete success is to go too far. The task was too great. To frame in a complex background of historical erudition an ethical problem of even greater complexity and subtlety—this was a task which might have sorely tried even greater powers than hers—a task in which Goethe and Scott might have succeeded, but which Goethe and Scott were too truly the born artists to attempt. 'Romola' is certainly a wonderful monument of literary accomplishments; but it remains a tour de force too elaborate, too labored, too intricate, too erudite. . . And, in my opinion, it marks the decline of her genius. I cannot count any of the later books as equal to the earlier books. Her truly great period of production reaches at most over the six years, 1858-1863 (aetat. 39-45,) in which she produced 'Scenes of Clerical Life' (1858,) 'Adam Bede' (1859,) 'The Mill on the Floss' (1860,) 'Silas Marner' (1861,) and 'Romola' (1863.) If I were to measure by true success in the higher art, this period should not be extended beyond the four years which closed with 'Silas Marner.' 'Romolo' is a most ambitious, very beautiful, altogether noble failure. And I cannot count any of the later pieces, prose or verse, as anything but far inferior to 'Romola.' They have great beauties, fine passages, subtle characters, and high conceptions—but they are the artificial products of a brain that showed symptoms of exhaustion, of a great writer who was striving after impossible tasks without freedom and without enjoyment.

"I cannot at all agree with those admirers of George Eliot's genius, who believe that it grew continuously in power, who even assure us that it reached its zenith in 'Daniel Deronda.' What can they mean? 'Daniel Deronda,' as usual, shows brilliant literary skill in many passages, and its insight into modern Hebraism is a psychological problem, only explicable on the theory that George Henry Lewes himself was a kind of unconscious, unrecognized, Gentile Jew in spirit. But with all its merits, and even beauties, 'Daniel Deronda' has the fatal defect of unpleasant characters who are neither beautiful nor interesting, terrible situations which bore rather than terrify us, and a plot which is at once preposterous and wearisome.

"As to 'Middlemarch'—George Eliot's longest, most crowded, and ethically most elaborated romance—with all its subtlety, its humor, its variety, and its sardonic insight into provincial Philistinism, it becomes at last tedious and disagreeable by reason of the interminable maunderings of tedious men and women, and the slow and reiterated dissection of disagreeable anatomies.

"'Felix Holt' contains some fine characters and scenes, but I cannot regard it as equal to 'Adam Bede' and 'Silas Marner.'

"We will not speak of 'Theophrastus Such' (1879,) written just before her death. It is the work of a woman physically and intellectually exhausted.

"A word or two must be said about the poems. They have poetic subjects, ideas, similes; they are full of poetic yearning, crowded with poetic imagery; they have everything poetry needs, except poetry. They have not the poet's hallmark. The are imitation poems, like the wonderful forged 'ancient masters' they concoct at Florence, or the Tanagra statuettes they make in Germany. With all her consummate literary gifts and tastes, George Eliot never managed to write a poem, and never could be brought to see that the verses she wrote were not poems. It was all an exaggeration of the same defect that mars her prose; and her verses throw great light on her prose. They are over-labored; the conception overpowers the form; they are too intensely anxious to be recognized as poems. We see not so much poetic passion as a passionate yearning after poetic passion. We have—not the inevitably, incalculable, inimitable phrase of real poetry—but the slowly-distilled, calculated, and imitated effort to reach the spontaneous. It is melancholy, indeed, to have to say this, after such labor, such noble conceptions, such mastery over anguage; but it is the truth. And it explains much of kindred failure in her prose work."

Literary Notes.

Bradford Torrey's new book, "Spring Notes from Tennessee," will be issued about the middle of April, by Messrs. Houghton, Miffin & Co. It presents the results of his observations in a very picturesque historic region. The same firm will issue, also, Mrs. Olive Thorne Miller's new animal book, "Four-handed Folk," which is devoted to various pets—the kinkajou, lemur, marmoset, "living balls," the ocelot, and several kinds of monkeys. "The Chase of the Meteor," a very interesting book for boys, written by Mr. Bynner, will hereafter be published by this house, which will shortly bring out a new edition.

Star Publishing Company, Chicago, who published "How Marcus Whitman Saved Oregon" the last half of last year, have just gone to press with the fifth edition.

The late Bill Nye's writings have for several years been published by F. Tennyson Neely of Chicago. New editions are now in press, each containing a biographical sketch of the author.

J. L. M. Curry's "Constitutional Government in Spain," published by the Messrs. Harper, will be found an excellent work to study at the present day, when Spain and its affairs are so nearly connected with ours.

A number of New York publishers have arranged to keep a committee at Washington to work against the passage of the Loud bill, which would affect the rates of postage on second-class matter.

Under the title of "An Ambassador of the Vanquished," Messrs. Macmillan & Co. have just published a translation, by Albert D. Vandam, of the Duc de Broglie's work on M. de Gontaut-Biron's mission to Berlin.

Dr. Ottolengui, the author of "The Crime of the Century," has been confounded repeatedly with Dr. Ottolinghi, who assisted Prof. Lombroso in his work, especially as the novel deals with penology. Dr. Ottolengui is an American by birth.

James Clegg, the Aldine Press, Rochdale, Eng., has just published "Bookmen: Members of Learned, Antiquarian and Literary Societies in the United Kingdom," containing 9458 names of buyers and lovers of books, members of antiquarian, bibliographical, dialect, folk-lore and other societies, etc.

Dr. Donald, successor to the rectorship of Trinity Church, Boston, which Phillips Brooks resigned when elected bishop, has written a book on "The Expansion of Religion." It aims to show that religon is larger than ecclesiasticism, and is connected more or less closely with all the social and industrial movements of our time, which tend to promote a larger life. It will be published by Messrs. Houghton, Miffin & Co.

The untimely death of Prof. Tuttle of Cornell prevented his completing "The History of Prussia," which was his magnum opus. He left nearly finished the fourth volume, covering the first part of the Seven Years' War, complete as far as it goes, and this fragment will soon be published by Messrs. Houghton, Miffin & Co., who announce, further, "Pirate Gold," a new novel by F. J. Stimson (J. S. of Dale,) which is a Boston story of the middle of the century.

Edward King, the journalist and author, who died in Brooklyn on March 29, was born in Middlefield, Mass., in 1848. He was for many years the Paris correspondent of the Boston Journal, which he represented, also, at the late Russo-Turkish war, and wrote much for other papers and periodicals. The list of his works includes "My Paris: French Character Sketches," "Kentucky's Love," "The Great South," "French Political Leaders," "Echoes from the Orient," "The Gentle Savage: A Novel," "Europe in Storm and Calm," "The Golden Spike," and a volume of verse, "A Venetian Lover."

The Librarian of Congress has been asked to report to the House Committee on Patents the amendments to the present copyright law which he considers desirable. The committee will probably draw a substitute bill, which will be submitted to all the copyright leagues and other organizations having an interest in the matter. An effort has been made by a number of American dramatists to have the committee accept Senator Hill's proposal to make the piracy of plays a misdemeanor, punishable by imprisonment as well as by fine. The imposition of a fine, it has been conclusively proved, has no terrors for the people who steal successful plays.

Sir E. Maunde Thompson has given some figures to show the extent of the library of printed books at the British Museum, and the rate of increase at which it has grown. More than half a century after the foundation of the museum the library had not increased even threefold; in the year 1821 there were less than 116,000 volumes. But twenty years later these had more than doubled in number; in 1838 there were computed to be 235,000 volumes; in 1858 there were 550,000 volumes. Having once obtained an impetus, the mass rapidly increased, and at this moment the number of volumes amounts to 1,750,000, not counting single sheets or parts of works that are accumulating.

"The space which this mass of printed material occupies has to be reckoned in miles," says the Westminster Gazette. "The shelves of the reading-room and iron galleries constructed around it, which are known as the new library, all told, extend to more than eight and twenty miles; those in the rest of the department to eleven miles. It may be noticed that this total of thirty-nine miles is nearly the same as that of the shelving of the French National Library. The prospect of increase of this mileage may be viewed with comparative equanimity in connection with the storage of the ordinary octavos of literature; but when one contemplates the rapid growth of newspapers, the limits of the available space within the present buildings are almost within sight.

The silver loving cup offered by the dramatic profession to Joseph Jefferson was presented to him on March 28, in his apartments at the Fifth Avenue Hotel by the Presentation Committee, consisting of Messrs. Daniel Frohman, William H. Crane, John Drew and Frank W. Sanger and Mrs. Edward E. Kidder. The official presentation of the cup was made on November 8 at the Garden Theater, but it was not ready them. The cup, which was designed by W. Clark Noble, stands twenty-one inches high. Its sides are elaborately decorated, and on the handles are three figures, representing Mr. Jefferson as Rip Van Winkle, Dr. Pangloss and Bob Acres. The top ornamentation consists of the masks of Comedy, Tragedy and Art. Between the handles are panels representing a scene from "Rip Van Winkle," and Jefferson and Florence in the dueling scene of "The Rivals." On the third panel are these inscriptions and quotations: "Here's to your good health and your family's, and may they live long and prosper!" "To the dean of the dramatic profession, with the loving greeting of his brother and sister players, November 8, 1895;" and "He touched nothing that he did not adorn."

The following letter from Mr. Gladstone has been received by Hermann Oelsner, B.A., in reference to his essay, "The Influence of Dante on Modern Thought," which gained the Cambridge Le Bas prize in 1894, and was published by Fisher Unwin last year: "I have now to thank you for your essay on the influence of Dante with the advantage of knowing its contents. I am agreeably surprised at the amount of information you have brought together, and it has yielded me much pleasure with, I hope, much profit. The antipathy of Goethe seems to me a point worth probing in detail. So also the curious passage, 'Io non gli spersi,' which I have, too hastily, it may be, been accustomed to regard as associated with a defect in Dante. It seems to me most remarkable that the study of Dante should decidedly have gained ground in England during a period in which Italian studies generally have so miserably fallen off."

FLOATING FACTS.

There are in England and Wales 14,-960 football clubs.

It is estimated that Adelina Patti has received $5,000,000 for her singing.

One hundred new words are annually added to the English language.

The first deaf-mute school in Great Britain was established at Edinburgh in 1773.

A correspondent points out that when sugar is partly burned in a gas flame it is destructive to mice.

One of the largest paper-box factories in New Haven, Ct., recently received an order for 85,000,000 cigarette boxes.

The British Museum receives an average annual installment of 250,000 newspapers.

An Englishman named Jefferson has started a 6000-mile bicycle ride to Irkutsk, Siberia. His machine and baggage weigh sixty pounds.

Edison prophesies that in 10 years horseless carriages will be the rule, and horse-propelled vehicles the exception.

The army of Spain on a peace footing consists of 120,000 men. On a war footing it is raised to 480,000 men, with 510 guns.

Private companies in Japan have submitted to the government plans for over 2000 miles of new railroads.

It is computed that 10,000,000 Indian slaves perished from Spanish brutality during the century and a half that followed the discovery of America.

It is estimated that £4,000,000 is spent in advertisements, and that something like 1,500,000,000 copies of newspapers are sold in London every year.

The Bank of England has 1160 officials on its pay-rolls, which amount to about $2,500,000 a year, and 1000 clerks. If a clerk is late three times he receives a warning; the fourth time he is discharged at once.

During the most peaceful years the world has 3,700,000 soldiers. The pay, equipments, food and clothing of these men cost nearly $2,500,000 a day.

Melbourne, Australia, has lost 43,-435 inhabitants in four years, the census of 1895 giving a population of 447,-461. The population of the seven Australian colonies at the end of 1895 was 4,238,000.

One of the most remarkable pieces of mechanism in the world is possessed by the Johns Hopkins University. It is a ruling machine used to make "gratings" for spectroscopes, and it can rule on speculum metal, with a diamond point, 15,000, 40,000 or 125,000 lines to the inch.

Only one railway passenger among 28,000,000 is annually killed in England. In France it is one in 19,000,000, in Germany one in 10,000,000, Italy one in 6,-0000,000, America one in 2,000,000 to 3,000,-000, and Russia one in 1,000,000.

A horse will not step on a man intentionally. So well is this recognized that the British cavalry are under standing orders to lie still if dismounted or thrown. The whole squadron will, in all probability pass over a man without his being injured if he does this.

Maine's Labor Commissioner figures that the average daily cost of living in that State is 21 cents a day for each individual in the average family. The cost of living to single men, boarding, is 46 cents. These figures cover rent, food, fuel and light.

It is stated that the most crowded spot on the earth's surface is the "Manderaggio," in the city of Valetta, in Milan. Upon a spot in this place, about two and a half acres in extent, no fewer than 2574 live. This is at the rate of 636,000 per square mile, or 1017 to an acre.

About one hundred thousand cords of wood go into the manufacture of paper pulp each year in Canada, while in the same space of time 500,000 and 600,-000 cords are exported into the United States, and are there manufactured into pulp and then into paper.

A Rockland, Me., family has a valuable possession in the shape of a ship's quadrant over two hundred years old, and with the London maker's name and address thereon. Part of it is made from a broad, heavy stick of ivory, dark with age. The interesting part of it is that it bears the name of "Capt. Kidd."

One of the public schools at Marmouth, Me., has thirteen pupils, the oldest 13 years old, and this is the teacher's thirteenth term in the school. All of the pupils of the school are well and doing well, and the school is making a more than usually good record, notwithstanding the superstition about 13.

Prof. Albert Koebele of California has made a three years' contract with the Hawaiian government to destroy the insect pests of the islands. His method is to get insects harmless to man to kill noxious insects.

Visiting strangers will find ours one of the most attractive shoe stores in the city.

A NEW FOOT-RULE

In a quiet way we are revolutionizing the shoe trade. People are finding out that we have shoe styles and sizes that one can't find in most stores. They are finding out that "reliable" means a great deal. We mean to be "reliable"—any way, if you buy a shoe of us and for any reason you don't wish to keep it you can have your money back. Reliability is our foot-rule. Ladies' Oxfords for the La Fiesta days, $1.50 the pair; all the latest lasts. More at $2; others at $3. Reliable? Yes, madam, reliable.

L. W. Godin,
104 N. Spring Street.

WIZARD EDISON.

HIS EXPERIMENTS WITH THE X RAYS.

Secrets of the Nerves Which the Cathode Rays Cannot Disclose. The Origin of Crime.

Thos. A. Edison may be able to so perfect the X rays as to plainly photograph the brain or inner organs, but, this, like the interesting study of phrenology, only tells the situation as it is, and leaves us without the means of starting an inactive organ into life. At this point the Rogers Missing Link method, heretofore explained in The Times, opens a new field by disclosing the cause and cure of the unfavorable conditions thus photographed. It may be interesting to see and photograph the imperfect circulation of a child's crooked limb, but he was a philosopher who, by tracing out the visible line of correspondence, detected an equal deficiency at the brain, through which all development comes, and then by retracing the same visible line, found an equal obstruction at the organ of creation, which nature makes use of in all development, thus furnishing another link for this important chain. Mr. Rogers's claims to originality are not so much in the line of discovery as in the consolidation of various tested truths into one complete system of cure for human suffering.

Though the gift of imparting life to persons more or less inanimate has been enshrouded in mystery by a few who have recognized this principle of nature, it has been used either wholly for mercenary purposes or else the favored ones have been surrounded by people so dull or incredulous as to entirely overlook the great truth which has been periodically demonstrated as far back as history has recorded.

Though we are living in an age when the horseshoe is firmly nailed over many a doorway where humans enter, and welcome superstition enslaves numerous free-born Americans, the time has come to look behind the throne which grim disease and wrong has held so many centuries. Though sickness may rage with the venom of a prairie fire, or intemperance and crime reign with a power almost supreme, that greatest gift of infinite superiority was in placing before all observing humanity (who are willing to believe their own eyes) a remedy or Right which is greater than wrong. In sight, at the terminal nerve centers of every human being, there is an equal cause for every unsatisfactory physical or mental condition. No baby cries or person suffers or does a wrong unless the fundamental nerves are obstructed —"in sight."

Being of automatic construction, like all else in nature, it is useless to longer employ professional aid to speculate upon the nerves of sensation which are as vacillating as a mountain echo, when any intelligent person, by observing the more stable nerves, which, though entirely without feeling, can surely find the entire cause in full view at their established office or focal center. Every fair-minded person, says Mr. Rogers, will therefore observe that as these fundamental nerves must work day and night to sustain life, and, being without feeling not only prevent their fatigue, but show us that the nerves of expression which demonstrate our feelings, sleep with the body, and thus being our servants must sooner or later convince us that the frequent calls of the family doctor, or any medicine-taking which aims at the point of sensation, is as senseless as it would be to stop at the kitchen and treat the domestic for our ills. Though obstructions or deformities upon their operating nerve centers have prevented the masses from grasping that general intelligence which fills the universe, and by their freedom has distinguished the supposed "Wizard of Menlo Park," that divinity of natural law is ready with a remedy for every ill, and that, too, within ourselves, without traveling to distant climes for health. Those visible obstructions to this natural condition, Mr. Rogers believes, will be removed in time as a preventive. Also, without resorting to prisons and executions for crime, those plainly-seen physical defects which produce covetousness and wrong will be removed from willful and disobedient children so that they may attain their rightful position, which is above the animal plane of contention, to one of harmony and active, reasonable life. Without assuming that this desirable and long-promised millenium would all come at once upon the adoption of these natural means, it has been proven, by much experience that the benefits derived would be exactly equal to the harmony produced, and afford all the pleasure and satisfaction that our capacity would allow. As an all-round benefit, its simplicity strongly suggests investigation. Matters of health would be more economically settled upon the line of irritation, and crime would be adjusted upon the line of the ever-present deformity, rather than upon the uncertain amount contained in the pocket-book or till, tampered with by the unfortunate offender or victim of professional mistakes, at birth. It has long seemed like an unreasonable procedure in criminal practice, says Mr. Rogers, to investigate the fluctuating contents of any treasure box which has been tampered with by unbalanced persons, rather than determine the ever-present physical condition of the offender, or to execute any criminal who is thus thrown out of balance by an oversight of the family doctor at birth. Wisdom would also suggest more attention to the simple requirements of a balanced organism and less to license or the liquor interests which are wholly sustained by these deformities. Social purity may well take a lesson from the depraved physical condition of the needy.

Thus behind a puzzling network of reflex action of a vast system of nerves whose normal or abnormal action determines all questions of happiness or misery of human beings, nature has left a key or focal center to operate the mill of life at will by all who wish to obtain that same degree of perfection so generously bestowed upon the lower animals. Only from the fact that Mr. Rogers has proven each assertion by using these simple means in his startling cures of consumption—so pronounced by our leading physicians—paralysis, heart failure, even down to repulsive face pimples, and, best of all, removing those criminal inclinations from adults and developing speech in backward children—only for these and numerous other cures, his claims would seem too great. Lewis Howell Rogers is a genius in his way, having a specialty peculiar to himself in instantly locating the cause of all unnatural conditions, "In Sight," and prescribing a natural remedy without drugs. This is entirely without charge as so many sufferers are in need of his simple nerve expander, which retails for $3.00, and has performed most of his wonderful cures without the aid of a doctor.

The Missing Link of Health, devoted to their interests, is a 16-page, quarterly journal at 50 cents per year, and goes with each instrument. Over 100,000 copies have been published during the last two years, from his permanent office, over 431 South Spring street, sample numbers of which are free.

SANTA BARBARA, Cal, March 28, 1896.

I have suffered for two years with a very bad case of rupture, and being an old man (68 years) I had but little hopes of ever getting even better. I saw a notice in the Santa Barbara papers of the wonderful cures of Prof. Joseph Eandrey in Santa Barbara, and the suurounding country. I went at once to see him, 18th of November, 1895, and he furnished me with a special made truss, and at the same time gave me his lotion, with instructions how to use it. From the moment I put on the truss I felt then and there a relief. I am a farmer, and ever since then I have had the Fandry truss. I have worked six days in the week for three months. Feeling that I was cured, I went to see Prof. Fandry, at his office, 821 South Broadway, Los Angeles, and I examined me and found that I was perfectly cured of rupture. I wish the public to know (for the public good) that Prof. Joseph Fandry has a thorough knoweldge of his business and, to my idea, is the only honest specialist on the Pacific Coast.

W. S. BARGIN,
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A souvenir for all who buy groceries at the Red Front, Fiesta week.

Everlastingly at it brings success, and so does CASH. Our Special Sales which we inaugurated a few weeks ago have proven highly satisfactory. So for the benefit of both our city and country friends we have decided to make this one continuous week of bargains in every department.

Every day this week a special sale. Mail orders will receive prompt attention. We pay freight to all points not exceeding 50 miles of city.

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Many a smile has drifted from its moorings—we will anchor it. A great boon for the beautiful, the world's Complexion Specialist gives perpetual youth. Ask for her Almondine. Goods and treatments at reduced rates this week only.

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OUR FREE OFFER

To the Thousands Who Will Visit La Fiesta—Dr. Shores Gives Each Patient a Wholesome Spring-Time Remedy.

Extra Hours During Fiesta for Out-of-Town Patients Desiring to Consult that Eminent Specialist Free.

With the dawning of La Fiesta, the gladsome carnival season of Los Angeles, with all the gay pageantry of a classic revival of the glittering pomp and circumstance of historic epochs, garlanded with the fairest offerings of art, poesy and song, and brightened with the bloom and perfume of myriads of flowers, thousands will come to the City of the Angels. To the hundreds of out-of-town patients Doctor Shores extends a hospitable welcome. He asks them to come to his offices and make them their headquarters, and will gladly give them all attention and extend every courtesy. For the benefit of those wishing free consultation, Dr. Shores's offices will be open this week continuously from 9 a.m. until 8 p.m. every day. Come and consult him when in the city this week. DR. SHORES WILL CURE YOU.

A Generous Gift.

Realizing that the change of seasons incident to the springtime is especially trying on the human system, Dr. Shores has very generously decided to give free to every new patient and each old patient renewing during the month of April, one large bottle of Dr. Shores's Tonic and Blood Purifier

For Family Use,

These bottle sell at the drug stores for $1 each. The need of a good reliable blood purifier at this season is apparent to all, and Dr. Shores's Tonic and Blood Purifier is the best. This valuable remedy is not included in the regular supply of medicines furnished free to all patients, but is added thereto as a special offering by Dr. Shores

For Use in the Family.

Good Deeds Bear Fruit.

Good deeds bear fruit, and in the fruit are other seeds that in their turn bear fruit and seeds. Great thoughts are never lost, and words of kindness do not perish from the earth. Self sacrifice brings its compensations, and Dr. Shores in honestly laboring for the good of his fellow-men has earned their gratitude,

Merit will always win, and Dr. Shores's modern American treatment for Catrrrh and other diseases has cured thousands of sufferers in Southern California. For two years the good work has been going on. It is the same old story told every week in the grateful statements of happy men and women, released from the irksome thralldom of disease. New names, new patients, new troubles—but the same old story over and over—"cured," "saved," "relief at last." No matter what the disease, the result is the same—it yields to the masterful treatment of Dr. Shores, who is always the friend of the sick and suffering. Read the evidence offered today and note the difference between the testimony of home people and the claims made by would-be competitors of the People's Doctor.

If you have Catarrh or any other deep-seated chronic disease come and see him and he will cure you, if your case is in the reach of advanced medical science. The Spring of year is tne most favorable time time to treat Catarrhal troubles. Climatic conditions are of great assistance, and one month's treatment now, at the popular rate of $5 per month, all medicines free, is as good as three months' treatment later in the year. Remember that during April every patient taking one month's treatment receives, in addition to a full month's supply of medicines, one bottle of Dr. A. J. Shores's Famous Tonic and Blood Purifier, extra.

Beautiful Women in Society.

Diane de Poictiers, Madame Recamier and Ninon de L'Enclos were famed for their marvellous beauty. They possessed all the charms and graces of feminine loveliness and stood peerless as the fascinating beauties of the gay French court. We have just as beautiful women in California today. Los Angeles is proud of her pretty women, but admiration instantly changes to disgust when from ruby lips, framed like the arch of Cupid's bow, comes a foul catarrhal breath. No beautiful woman should long suffer with this affliction, for Dr. Shores can cure her, and banish that blighting breath. He has cured hundreds of women suffering with catarrh. They are ever ready to testify their gratitude to Dr. Shores, the modern medical benefactor. The full treatment, including all medicines, inhalers, etc., only costs $5 per month. His parlors are daily visited by scores of ladies suffering just like you, and Dr. Shores cures them. Ask any of his patients and they will tell you.

Power of Kind Words.

1Knd words are better than jewels rare. The honest and successful treatment of catarrh by Dr. A. J. Shores, in accordance with modern ethics of medicine, has attracted the earnest attention of many leading physicians. Not having the elaborate but necessary apparatus in their offices for fully treating catarrh, these broad-spirited physicians send their catarrhal patients to Dr. Shores's office, knowing they will be honestly and successfully treated by that eminent specialist. Kind words are greater conquerors than armies. They are balm to the unfortunate sufferer who has struggled with disease for years, fallen into the hands of unscrupulous fakirs and been robbed, and finally as a last resort applies to Dr. Shores, who kindles their hearts with the kindly tidings that they can be cured, for DR. SHORES CURES CATARRH, and all deep-seated diseases, at $5 per month, medicines free.

Beware of Fakirs.

The remarkable success of Dr. Shores in curing the sick in this community has attracted the attention of numerous unscrupulons medical fakirs and patent-medicine men, who seek to deceive the public by imitating Dr. Shores's system of advertising. This makes it necessary for Dr. Shores to warn the public that he has no branch office in Los Angeles. He has only one office in this city, and that is located in the Redick Block, corner First street and Broadway, where he personally administers the Dr. Shores treatment. If you go to any one who imitates his style of advertising, you do so at your own risk, as there are many imitators, but only one Dr. Shores in Los Angeles, who is the only possessor of his system of treatment and administers it personally. Take no substitutes.

DR. ANDREW J. SHORES.

Dr. Shores is the only specialist who advertises his credentials. He is not ashamed to publish his name and school of graduation. His diploma is regularly indorsed by the California State Medical Board, a copy of which can be seen at the Courthouse and the office of the Los Angeles Board of Health, and in his office. Dr. Shores is a graduate of the medical department of the University of Louisville, Ky., one of the oldest and most reputable medical schools in America, being founded in 1837. His diploma is regularly indorsed by the Medical Board of California. Come to Dr. Shores if you want a true specialist's services. He has treated thousands of cases of catarrh and kindred diseases right here at home in Los Angeles, and his grateful patients who have been restored to health and happiness by his common-sense American methods of treatment, are always ready and willing to testify to his worth and efficiency as an eminent and successful physician. Inquire as to his standing.

MRS. AMANDA SANDERS, Whittier, Cal.
Our Mail Treatment Cures.

"I doctored for seven years," said Mrs. Sanders yesterday, "for what I supposed was consumption, and spent hundreds of dollars for medicines, but steadily got worse. For two years I lived on boiled milk. I spit blood, had night sweats and no appetite, and could not sleep in my bed."

AND WAS ALMOST DEAD.

"I was advised to see Dr. Shores, and did so. In one month I began gaining flesh, and rose from 145 to 165 pounds, and am still gaining. Praised be the Lord, I now eat heartily, can sleep in my bed, have no night sweats, and am perfectly well. I cannot speak too highly of Dr. Shores, for I believe in the providence of God,

"HE HAS SAVED MY LIFE."

HOME FOLKS.

People You Know and Can Find Testify That Dr. Shores's Treatment Cures.

Read the Evidence of Cures Presented Today by Dr. Shores, and Compare With His Would-be Competitors' Empty Claims.

THOMAS J. HENDERSON,

Passenger Conductor, Terminal Railroad Company.

"I would not take $500 for the benefit I have derived from Dr. Shores's treatment," said Conductor Henderson of 2404 East Eleventh street. "I feel like a new man, and want to tell the whole world what Dr. Shores has done for me. He is the only doctor I know fulfills the promises of cures made by him in the newspapers. For several years I had been suffering with catarrh of the head and throat, and could get no relief from the doctors until I consulted Dr. Shores. I now have a good appetite, and am in perfect health. I cannot say too much for Dr. Shores's treatment. I gladly tell all my friends to consult him."

$5--A Month for all Diseases, Medicines Free--$5

WILLIAM J. HOWARD, No. 614 Ceres ave.

"I had suffered with rheumatism for 30 years," says Mr. Howard, "and for weeks had been laid up with my shoulder blade and arm crippled. In ten days from the time I was under Dr. Shores's care, my pains disappeared, and I have steadily grown better until I am now entirely well. I am perfectly satisfied that Dr. Shores is the best doctor I have ever consulted, and advise all of my friends to call upon him when sick."

SAVE THE LITTLE ONES.

The death of Little Nell and Paul Dombey, so pathetically and forcefully delineated by Dickens—that master of the pen—make two of the saddest pictures in the pages of fiction. The strength of the pathos lies in its truth to nature—because every day around us the little ones who have brightened the firesides in so many homes are fading like the flowers in the blast of a chilling frost. Catarrh in its varied, insidious and terrible forms is preying on the children, and not a day passes but the soul of some little darling is torn from its mother's arms by the icy clutch of death. Fathers and mothers, why not save your little ones—the brightest jewels of the home circle—from the destroying blight of CATARRH? Come to Dr. Shores and he will save them. It only costs $5 per month for full treatment and attention, and all medicines furnished free. What is $5 to a father and mother when the life of future happiness of their beloved offspring hangs trembling in the balance between life and death?

A Guarantee.

The DR. A. J. SHORES COMPANY is incorporated, and is composed of business men of Los Angeles. No figureheads in this company. As to the honesty and reliability of the DR. A. J. SHORES COMPANY, it might be well to mention its directors:
DR. A. J. SHORES, President.
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NATURE'S WARNING.

Aches and Pains Are the Danger Signals That You Are Sick and Need Treatment.

Read the following symptoms over carefully, mark those you feel in your case and send or bring them to Dr. A. J. Shores, and he will tell you whether you can be cured, free of charge.

The Head and Throat.

This form of catarrh is most common—resulting from neglected colds—quickly cured with little cost by Dr. Shores's famous treatment.
"Is the nose stopped up?"
"Does your nose discharge?"
"Is the nose sore and tender?"
"Is there a dropping in the throat?"
"Is your throat dry in the morning?"
"Do you sleep with your mouth open?"
You can be easily cured now—don't let it run into complications.

The Bronchial Tubes.

When catarrh of the head and throat is neglected or wrongly treated it extends down the windpipe into the bronchial tubes and after awhile attacks the lungs. Quickly cured with little cost by Doctor Shores' famous treatment.
"Have you a cough?"
"Do you take cold easily?"
"Have you pain in side?"
"Do you raise frothy material?"
"Do you cough in the mornings?"
"Do you spit up little cheesy lumps?"
"Do you feel you are growing weaker?"
Don't Risk neglecting these warnings—stop the disease before it reaches the lungs.

Of the Ears.

"Is your hearing failing?"
"Do your ears discharge?"
"Is the wax dry in your ears?"
"Do you hear some days better than others?"
"Is your hearing worse when you have a cold?"
Don't neglect this until your hearing is irreparably destroyed. Doctor Shores can cure you now.

Kidney Disease.

Results in two ways, by taking cold and by overworking the kidneys in separating from the blood the catarrhal poisons which affect all organs. Quickly cured with little cost by Doctor Shores' famous treatment.
Do your hands and feet swell?
"Is this noticed more at night?"
"Is there pain in small of back?"
Has the perspiration a bad odor?
Is there puffiness under the eyes?
"Do you have to get up often at night?"
"Is there a deposit in urine if left standing?"
Don't neglect these signs and risk Bright's disease killing you. Cure it now.

Liver Disease.

The liver is affected by catarrhal poisons extending from the stomach into the ducts of the liver. Quickly cured with little cost by Doctor Shores's famous treatment.
"Do you get dizzy?"
"Do you have cold feet?"
"Do you feel miserable?"
"Do you get tired easily?"
"Do you have hot flushes?"
"Are your spirits low at times?"
"Do you have rumbling in bowels?"
These are the seven simple signs indicating disease of the liver. If you have any or all of them, seek Doctor Shores now and be cured.

Of the Stomach.

Catarrh of the stomach is usually caused by swallowing mucous which drops down from the head and throat at night. Quickly cured with little cost by Doctor Shores's famous treatment.
"Is there nausea?"
"Do you belch up gas?"
"Are you constipated?"
"Is your tongue coated?"
"Do you bloat up after eating?"
"Is there constant bad taste in mouth?"
Now is the time to be permanently cured. Doctor Shores is curing hundreds every week.

EXTRA HOURS FOR FIESTA.

To accommodate the crowds during Fiesta week Dr. Shores's offices will be open continuously from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. every day. Dr. Shores again cautions the public to beware of free treatment fakirs, who advertise to treat you free, and then rob you for medicine.

DR. A. J. SHORES CO.
(INCORPORATED.)
PARLORS—Redick Block, corner First and Broadway.

SAW LINCOLN SHOT.

Two Witnesses of the Tragedy Live in Los Angeles.

Sat Near the President's Box When Booth Fired the Fatal Shot.

Henry Gard of Boyle Heights and Daniel Gridley Were in Ford's Theater on the Fateful Night of April 14, 1865.

(CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

Thirty-one years after the assassination of Abraham Lincoln there are living in Los Angeles two men who were eye-witnesses of that tragic event. They are Daniel Gridley of No. 135 South Olive street, and Henry Gard of No. 139 South Soto street, Boyle Heights.

These two venerable citizens, then men in the prime of life, were in Ford's Theater on the fateful night of April 14, 1865, when the Presidena of the United States was so foully assassinated in full view of the hundreds of people who had assembled to see the then popular play of "Our American Cousin."

The report of the pistol, and the assassin's exultant, "Sic semper tyrannis," are still ringing in the ears of the surviving witnesses of that great national tragedy, as though it happened but yesterday, instead of a generation ago.

Mr. Gridley and Mr. Gard did not know each other at the time they jointly beheld the tragic taking-off of the nation's beloved President. It is only since coming to Los Angeles to spend the sunset of their lives, close by the shores of the sunet sea, that they have met and recounted to each other the experiences of that memorable night. Their versions of the tragedy are remarkably alike, and do not differ in generalities from the hundreds of other accounts of the assassination recorded in history. Yet each has its peculiar individual interest of details and personal impressions.

The writer recently heard the story of the assassination from the lips of each of these two surviving witnesses, and reproduces here, as nearly as possible, in their own language, what they saw, how they felt, acted, and how they came to be there.

DANIEL GRIDLEY'S STORY.

Mr. Gridley, in relating his experiences, said:

"In February, 1865, I left Napa, Cal., for Washington, D. C., as a delegate of the Christian Commission. I went via the Isthmus and had for a traveling companion the only other Christian Commission delegate sent from California, Elder Thomas, the eloquent Methodist preacher, who, with Gen. Canby, was killed by the Modoc Indians in 1873, while acting as a member of the peace commission which was endeavoring to make a treaty with those hostile savages.

"After reaching the East and traveling through the States where war desolated the land, and seeing strife and bloodshed till I became heartsick, I arrived in Washington, April 13, 1865. That was just after Lee's surrender, practically the close of the war. The day following my arrival in Washington, Gen. Grant established his headquarters at Willard's Hotel. That same afternoon I had a personal introduction to him and Gen. Rawlins, his chief of staff, by Gen. Frisby, of Vallejo, Cal.

"I had a great desire before leaving Washington to see President Lincoln, but as there was constantly such a crush around the White House, there seemed no hope for me to see him there. The newspapers, however, announced that Lincoln and Grant would both attend the performance at Ford's Theater that evening. I concluded that that was my opportunity to get a good look at 'Old Abe,' and lost no time in buying a ticket for admission to the theater. Grant, it seems, did not attend the theater, but left the city to visit his family, but much to my satisfaction, the President was there, as announced, and I had the pleasure of seeing him for the first time; likewise the sorrow of seeing him slain.

"I watched a torchlight parade of the navy boys before I went to the theater, and when I got there they were pretty well along with the play of 'Our American Cousin.' The President's box was on the right. I got clear forward on the left, so I had a good view of Lincoln, his wife and Maj. Rathbun and wife. The President sat in an arm chair, with his left leg over his right knee, seemingly enjoying the play immensely.

"The President's box at first had more attraction for me than the play, for I went to the theater especially to see 'Father Abraham,' as his thousands of faithful admirers, among them none more devoted than I, were pleased to call him. By degrees, however, my attention, with that of the vast audience, became riveted upon the stage, where a really excellent and interesting play was being enacted.

"Presently a flash, a report and the screams of the ladies in the President's box drew my eyes from the stage in that direction. The assassin had done his work. The scene you have seen so often pictured met my sight. I took in the situation at a glance, but, like the rest of the horror-stricken spectators, I at first felt too dazed, almost, to think; to act seemed out of the question.

"One glance was sufficient to convince me that Lincoln had been shot, but his position had not changed in the least, except that his head had sunk to his breast.

"At the same instant that my eye comprehended this, I saw the assassin leap from the box to the stage, and heard him cry: 'Sic semper tyrannis,' which was spoken in the full theatrical style of the actor that he was.

"Instantly a dozen men, with the cry of 'Booth,' clambered over the footlights and were not twenty feet behind the assassin when he barred the door behind him and escaped by way of the rear door of the building. It does not look possible to me that he lamed himself as he vaulted over the rails of the box to the stage, a height of only about eight feet.

"As soon as I recovered by self-possession I began to elbow my way out of the theater, which was nearly empty by the time I got to the door, where I found a solid mass of affrighted people looking back, no one, apparently, knowing what to do. The street beyond the crowd packed around the entrance was entirely vacant.

"'Why don't you surround the block and catch the assassin?' I shouted, as I struggled to clear myself of the jam at the door.

"My first thought as soon as I got free was to get to a telegraph office to spread the news, and report the matter at Gen. Grant's headquarters. Remembering that I had seen the sign of a telegraph office at the sidedoor of Willard's Hotel, I ran as fast as I could, twelve or fourteen blocks to the hotel. Among the half-dozen or more people in the hotel office, as I burst almost breathlessly in, was Gen. Rawlins, Grant's chief of staff, to whom I had been introduced that afternoon. Rushing up to Gen. Rawlins, I told him that President Lincoln had just been assassinated at Ford's Theater by J. Wilkes Booth, the actor.

"Gen. Rawlins grabbed my two arms with a grip of iron, and said: 'Why, man, you are mad!' Then, remembering who I was, he let go one arm, and led me to the telegraph office, where he telegraphed to the forts surrounding the city to let no one leave Washington until further orders.

"Although thoroughly alarmed by the sensational news I had brought, Gen. Rawlins still apparently doubted my words, for when I started to leave, he said to an orderly: 'Detain that man.' It was twenty minutes before he received any other news to corroborate my story. When he realized that the sad tidings I had the honor to first deliver to him, was only too true, he thanked me for making haste to inform him of it, and apologized for forcibly detaining me.

"The next day Gen. Frisby told me Gen. Rawlins wanted to see me. I went with Frisby to the general's office. After questioning me about the events of the previous night, he asked if it was I who suggested to the crowd to surround the block so as to cut off the escape of the assassin. I responded 'yes.' Then he complimented me on the presence of mind I had exhibited, and asked what I was doing in California.

"'Making money by farming, while you boys are her fighting for me,' I replied.

"'Were it not that the war is ended, except for the surrender of Johnston's little army,' he remarked, 'I would insist upon your joining the army, instead of throwing away at farming such talent as you have shown for doing the right thing at the right time.'

"The first night I was in Washington, the city was immensely illuminated in honor of the victory of Appomattox and the triumphant close of Grant's Richmond campaign, that took 'all summer' and was not terminted till the next spring. On the night of the 15th these illuminations were all covered with crêpe, which gave the city a mournful appearance, indeed.

"April 16 I visited the forts and hospitals around Washington, and then started for my California home. I did not learn of the capture and death of Booth till I reached San Francisco a month later. When I arrived at my home in the Napa Valley, people came for miles around to hear me tell the story of the assassination, and relate incidents of the war, which I had learned during my brief sojourn in the East."

DANIEL GRIDLEY'S CAREER.

Daniel Gridley, the narrator of the foregoing story of Lincoln's death, is 71 years of age. He was born in Cortland county, N. Y., January 6, 1825. At the age of 10 he removed with his father to Michigan, and in 1852 crossed the plains to Placerville, Cal., where he was a hotel-keeper for six years, then engaged in farming in the Napa Valley, which occupation he followed for many years. Seventeen years ago he removed to Los Angeles county, settling on a farm near Downey. As old age began to tell upon him he retired from the farm and established himself in a comfortable home in this city, where he is spending his declining years in peace and happiness. Two of his children—D. E. Gridley, police clerk, and the wife of Police Officer McClure—also reside in this city. Mr. Gridley has his second wife, who is many years his junior, but who, with great devotion, looks after his comfort in his old age.

Until recently, Mr. Gridley enjoyed good health, but a stroke of apoplexy a few months ago left him in an enfeebled condition. He is an agreeable, intelligent old man, who has devoted much of his life to good works. He defrayed his own expenses as delegate to the Christian commission which took him to Washington at the time he witnessed the assassination of Lincoln, an event that is indelibly impressed upon his memory. Although claiming credit for having first conveyed the news of Lincoln's assassination to Gen. Grant's headquarters, a matter that is worthy of mention in his country's history, he wears his honors modestly.

The picture of Mr. Gridley accompanying this article is from a photograph taken last fall, when he was a member of the jury that decided the famous Pratt-Goodspeed will contest.

HENRY GARD'S STORY.

Henry Gard, the other resident of Los Angeles, who saw J. Wilkes Booth take the life of President Abraham Lincoln, in a native of England. He was born in Devonshire July 31, 1835, being now in his sixty-first year. Te began life as a cabinet-maker's apprentice in his native country, and emigrated to the United States at the age of 18, settling in Illinois and working at the carpenter's trade till the outbreak of the civil war, when he enlisted in the Eleventh Illinois Infantry Regiment for three months' service. He reënlisted in the Fifty-third Illinois for three years and served till the end of the war, participating in the battles of Shiloh, Corinth, siege of Vicksburg and all the important engagements of Grant and Sherman's campaigns in the South. He was taken prisoner before Atlanta July 22, 1864, when Gen. McPherson was killed, and hurried off to Andersonville prison, where he was kept for about two months, until exchanged. He rejoined Sherman's army at Atlanta September 28, was made first sergeant of an engineering corps and commissary orderly, and assigned to the important duty of recruiting negro troops, a service which he performed successfully. He marched with Sherman's army to the sea and was finally mustered out at Goldsboro. Mr. Gard went to City Point, then Gen. Grant's headquarters, to see his brother, who had charge of Grant's horses. When Grant transferred his headquarters to Washington, Mr. Gard accompanied his brother James to the national capital.

"This is how I happened to see the assassination of Lincoln," said Mr. Gard, in relating his experiences to the writer. Grant had an Irish orderly, who was a well-educated, sociable sort of fellow.

"'Let's go to Ford's Theater tonight,' said this orderly to me and brother Jim, after we had put up Grant's horses upon our arrival in Washington on the evening of April 14. We three went to the theater together, as the orderly suggested, and procured seats about ten feet from the stage, where we had a good view of the President and his party in their box. The play was 'Our American Cousin,' and 'Old Abe' seemed to be enjoying it as much as anybody there.

"During one act the curtain fell, and we heard a pistol shot. We all thought it was in the play. I saw a man jump over the railing of the President's box to the stage, and I still thought it was part of the play, but it did not take me long to find out differently. Two flags were draped around the President's box and the assassin's foot caught in one of these as he jumped, which caused him to break his ankle, I afterward learned. When he reached the center of the stage he shouted something which I did not understand, so I leaned over to Grant's Irishman, and whispered, 'What did he say?'

"'Sic semper tyrannis,' replied he.

"'What does that mean?' I inquired, for I had no knowledge of any foreign language.

"'Death to tyrants,' said the orderly, who was up in such things.

"In the mean time people were shouting, 'Booth! Booth!' and some men were climbing over the footlights upon the stage to try to stop the murderer, but he made his escape at the rear of the stage.

"I did not know who Booth was, or what he had done at first, but I suspected something was wrong, and said to my companions, 'Why, that fellow has a knife in his hand.'

"You've no idea how quiet everything was, with the exception of those men shouting, 'Booth, Booth!'

"I saw Lincoln sitting in his chair with his head bowed upon his breast, and then the manager of the theater came on the stage and announced that the play was dismissed. The people filed out of the theater quietly, but there was great suppressed excitement. Everybody seemd dazed and hardly able to realize what had happened. I saw some people leading Mrs. Lincoln out of the box in a fainting condition. This was the first time I ever saw her. The picture of her despair and the fright depicted in the faces of all the people formed a scene that I shall not forget till my dying day.

"I staid in Washington until after the funeral, which was a grand and imposing affair. I went to see Lincoln lie in state, and had to stand two days in line before I got a chance to gaze for the last time on that grand and noble face which looked magnificent, even in death.

"Many things connected with the assassination I did not learn until long afterward, although I was in Washington during all those stirring events. This is but another proof of the old saying, that the nearer you are to a thing, the less you are apt to know about it. One thing has often occurred to me, and that is that nobody seems to know what became of Booth's body."

Mr. Gard staid in Washington until after the grand review of troops. Then he made a trip to Baltimore and New York, returned to Washington, went thence to Louisville, Ky., in command of a company of colored troops; left the army there permanently, and returned to his old home at Ottawa, Ill. Next year he went to Denver, Colo., where he remained twenty-two years, engaged in the meat business, and seven years ago came to Los Angeles, where he is living a retired life, happy in his old age in having a comfortable home, a loving wife and family of bright and dutiful children. Mr. Gard is full of reminiscences of the war, but witnessing the assassination of Lincoln is the most interesting of all his experiences.

W. S. LIVENGOOD.

AS SEEN BY AN ENTHUSIAST.

(Attributed by the New York Sun to Hon. M. A. Hanna of Cleveland.)

With a roar as of flames
When the spring floods come dashing,
The greatest of booms
Is thunderously crashing;
Portentous it looms,
All other booms smashing.

It is better than wheat,
It is nicer than candy;
It cannot be beat,
It's a daisy and dandy;
More glorious and sweet
Than the whiskers of Handy.

The earliest, the best,
All others uprooting,
From the east to the west,
It is spinning and shooting,
And e'en the mightiest
Are appalled by its tooting.

Vainly Iowa's son
His boomlet is grasping,
And Quay for the bun
Is fuming and gasping,
And Morton on the run,
Tom Platt's hand is clasping.

In vain does Tom Reed
Look solemn and stately,
And his Congress lead
Onward sedately;
Mac's got 'em all treed,
Or I'm erring greatly.

BEWARE.

Oh, the witchery of her eyes—
Tempting eyes,
Laughing eyes—
Laughing when her heart e'en cries;
Never known to moralize;
Sometimes sad, but ever wise;
Ready e'er to sympathize—
But 'tis only in her eyes.

Oh, the coquetry of her eyes—
Shocking eyes,
Mocking eyes—
Mocking when your heart replies
To her low and tender sighs;
Sometimes sad, yet ever wise;
Why should man so highly prize
Two such sinful, living lies?
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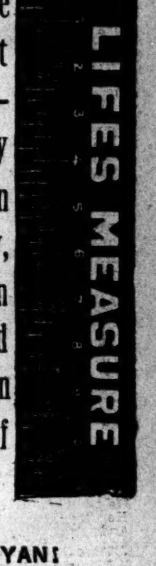

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"THE LAW OF LOVE."

(CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

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(Through the Newspaper Sermon Association.)

Among the sources of instruction, by which our mind is made to appreciate truths of great value to us, is undoubtedly the book of nature. It lies open before us, as if inviting study. There are few who have not had thoughts arise from such study, which elevated the mind above what we see, to higher and nobler things, even to God, who made all these beautiful objects, and who is therefore, far more beautiful than they are. The great poet and dramatist understood and felt the good effect of this contemplation of nature, and the impressions he has left recorded in the oft-quoted words: "Sermons in stones and good in everything."

One fact we see in our study of nature, and it strikes us strongly, it is that creatures of like kind seek each other. Except where some strong passion or interest comes in to mar this tendency to fellowship, it is so universal that men have always looked on it as a matter of course, trite, and scarcely worthy of more than a passing glance. Its universality, however, marks it as the result of a law; a law that existed before creatures did; a law, therefore, which comes from the Creator, which is and was in His divine mind from eternity. It is the law of love.

Let us go a little higher and observe the natural order as we see it in the noblest of earthly beings, mankind. Everywhere we see the working of sympathy and love among men; "one touch of nature makes all the world akin." So greatly do men admire the manifestation of this universal law of love that human friendship is well-nigh made a substitute for all religion, and raised to the dignity of a cult. Damon and Pythias are regarded as the types of friendship, and humanitarianism seems to loom up as the religion of the future.

Again, let us consider another fact—that kindness is the most efficacious means to tame and subdue even the most ferocious beasts. Nothing so gains the brute creation as the manifestation of a kindly disposition toward them. In a conversation regarding this universal law of love, Cardinal Manning once remarked that he had come to realize it when he had horses. The well-known tamer, Rarey, was wont to begin his work with the wildest horse by a sudden act of subjugation. But as soon as the animal had ceased its violent struggles he resorted to kind treatment, and his success was phenomenal, giving him a name throughout the English-speaking world. We are told that Gen. Custer never used harshness with his chargers, and so generously did they respond that he could with a word make them do his will.

Now, here is another manifestation of the law of love as universal as the fact of the animal loving its kind. The law is according to the ideas of the Creator; it comes from him; it is the law of the universe upon which He has left His impress. It is the key to the understanding of it all. There is nothing to surprise us in this. The favorite apostle, John tells us "God is charity," God is love.

What wonder, therefore, that this love, which is the essential character of the Deity, should pour itself out upon creation, be shared naturally by every being, more particularly by those gifted with intelligence? Contemplating its beauty and its effects the psalmist exclaims: "How good and pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together." Of the power it wields over us, long ago Soloman said: "If a man should give all the substance of his house for love, he shall dispise it as nothing." A greater than Solomon said:

"Greater love than this no man hath, that a man lay down his life for his friends."—John xv, 13.

This Christ did for us, inculcating by word and by example what love is, what its power is, how it is and should be the law of our nature. At the same time he lifted man's thoughts above his own little self, He made him understand there is a higher love above that of visible nature, a love that is divine, supernatural. He raised man to the plane of that love; He made him a sharer of the divine nature; He gave him that same love which is in the Godhead, whereby he loves God as God loves himself, and loves his neighbor for God's sake. Through this love man becomes deified, a sharer of the divine nature! What a contrast between this high and ennobling result and the puny efforts of human reason, rebellious to God, and striving to glorify itself! The greatest effort of reason which discards revelation is to belittle the Supreme Being, the author of all. By the pantheism it advocates it drags God down from His throne and makes Him a man with all the miseries and defects we know man has. Christianity, with its teaching of charity, raises man up, purifies him, ennobles him, elevates him to fellowship with God Himself, till, from this union, so permeated does he become with the fire of divine love, that he glows with it, and shines with the same light as the Deity itself!

Now let us ask ourselves a question. Do we feel that we have reached so sublime a state as to be thus united with God? I am afraid, in our sincerity, we must shrink from answering that we have. The conception is so lofty, and we are so weak. Still there are grades in the acquisition of this spirit of Christian love, and we may strive to attain that grade our weakness may permit. How we can do so may be better understood by looking at the subject in a practical way. The first result of this love of God should be the observance of His law. "If you love me," said Christ, "keep my commandments." If we are doing our best to keep the commandments, the decalogue, we have made a great advance in the attainment of the spirit of love. The first three precepts regard our duties to God; the adoration of God, reverence for His name, the worship of Him. The other precepts regard our neighbor, our duties to him.

When we keep the former we truly love God and love ourselves according to God, in a proper, well-ordered, reasonable way. We therefore do the best of ourselves, evidently. That we should so love and benefit ourselves is just, and as the creator intended, for we are to love our neighbor as ourselves; the model goes before the copy, and in this instance the copy is the love we must have for our neighbor. The remaining precepts of the decalogue give us general directions with regard to the rights of our neighbor, and to our corresponding duties; for right and duty are correlative terms, the one implies the other.

Let us apply a practical test at once to see whether the law of love is working in us. Do we respect our neighbor's rights? Do we do to him as we wish others to do unto us? Does selfishness dominate in us, or are we unselfish, and ready to make sacrifices for our fellow-man? What a field of inquiry this question opens up! How it spaciates over the varied departments of human activity and the various relations of men! It dips down at once into the recesses of human intercourse.

Take the relations between the rich and the poor. Charity says to the man of wealth: "Look kindly on the poor man; he is your brother; don't turn away because of squalor and rags. Think of the depressing influence of privation, of the absolute inability to provide for self and family. Open your purse and of your superfluity help your brother. In giving vouchsafe, too, the charity of a kind look and of a cheering word." To the poor man it says: "Do not envy the rich; do not wish them evil; do not rail at them, do not plot to deprive them of what they possess; do not give a ready ear to the accusations against them that sap the order of social life. Be grateful for what is given you, and ask the blessing of God on those He has inspired to help you, and remember that Christ chose for himself not the position of the rich and powerful, but the condition of the poor man; and, considering how he thus ennobled poverty which is not the result of wrong-doing; be resigned to the inconveniences it brings with it, and recognize the dignity of poverty."

Next cast a glance at the rights and duties of the employer and of the employed. The law of love says to the employer: "Remember those you employ are your fellow men, whom God loves. Be just to them to generosity. Don't think your duties are fulfilled if you simply pay them their wages. They are, as it were, members of your own family. Give them something of that care and solicitude you bestow upon your family. Encourage the family life among them, as far as you can, when sickness and misfortune comes upon them. Contribute to their happiness as far as in you lies." To the employed charity says:

"Respect the rights of your employer. Give him cheerfully the respect and obedience that are his due. Be strictly just in your dealings with him, fulfilling your contract to the letter. Bearing in mind that it is through him God provides you with your daily bread, be grateful to God and to his instrument for your welfare, your employer."

To the parent the God of charity says: "These children I have given you are more mine than yours. The natural instinct I have implanted in you will lead you to care for their bodies. But remember the mind, the soul, is more than the body, and by word and example teach them to love, honor and obey me, and love their neighbor. Of this you will have to render me an account."

To the child He says: "Honor thy father and thy mother. Do not fail in respect to them; give them the obedience due them. That obedience and subjection of which in my youth on earth I gave you an example. I will reward even on earth; disobedience and resistance I will punish both here and hereafter."

Is this an ideal state of things, so ideal as not to be possible of accomplishment? That cannot be said; for the author of the law would be open to the charge of having ordered what is impracticable. It is, therefore, not ideal in the sense of impracticability. In fact, it is, in more cases than we know, fulfilled. How many rich people unobtrusively help the poor! How many noble poor follow the footsteps of the Savior! How many employers love their men; how many workingmen show the spirit of the carpenter of Nazereth! How many fathers love their children as God wills, and how many children, despite the waywardness of childhood and youth, strive to make a return to those to whom they owe their being! Still there is so much defect in each one of us that it is fitting we turn our attention to ourselves, study our duties of charity to God, to ourselves and to our neighbor, and, by their faithful discharge, fulfill the law.

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Coffee-Growing.

(California Cultivator:) There has been considerable talk of late about growing coffee in California. Among others, it is said, Col. Crocker, of San Francisco, was seriously considering the question of engaging extensively in the business in the San Joaquin Valley. To give our readers an idea of the requirements and conditions under which this very popular article of domestic consumption is grown, we give a few facts in regard to it and append the observations of E. C. Winston, of Alvin, Tex., who recently made a tour through the coffee-growing sections of Mexico, and wrote of them to the Texas Farm and Ranch, to which paper we are indebted for the use of the excellent illustrations herewith.

Hilly situations, where the soil is friable and well drained, are most favorable for coffee-growing. The seeds are first sown in nursery beds and when the plants are a few inches high they are planted out from 6 to 8 feet apart. The yield per tree is from 2½ to 4 pounds. The cost of production in South American countries—and in Mexico it is but little higher—is 4½ cents per pound.

The greatest coffee-proiducing country in the world is Brazil, where it is estimated more than 600,000,000 trees are growing. It is from Brazil that most of the coffee used in the United States comes.

Following is what Mr. Winston says: "While the coffee plant seems to be very hardy and tenacious of life under ordinary circumstances, it cannot stand the least frost. The coffee tree or shrub is an evergreen with an oblong, smooth and shining leaf 5 or 9 inches long and about 2½ inches wide. It presents a beautiful appearance, either with its clusters of snow-white flowers or with its scarlet ripe berries. The fruit is a fleshy berry, having the appearance of a cherry or small plum. Each one of these berries contains two seeds, each grain of coffee that we use being a perfect seed. The seeds lie against each other in the pulp, which incloses them, and are covered by a thin covering or parchment. This is the chaffy substance that comes off during the roasting process, the coffee having been imperfectly cleaned. There are two processes employed in preparing the coffee for market. That which is commonly adopted by the natives and by some of the smaller growers among the Americans, is to gather the berry as soon as it assumes a dark red color, and dry it in the sun. When thoroughly dried it is flailed or pounded until the covering has been well broken, after which it is fanned out just as we used to do grain before the advent of the thresher. The method, however, which is employed by the larger growers, especially Americans, is to run the berries through a pulping machine, just as soon as gathered, thus removing the necessity of drying so much waste material.

"The coffee 'tree' is really not a tree, but is more of a shrub, its average height being only about seven feet. Regarding the necessity of shade for the plant, there is a great diversity of opinion. Some of the most successful planters maintain that shading the trees produces only detrimental results. Probably this is so where the soil is shallow, but in the Tuxpan Valley, where the soil is very rich and deep, we found the planters unanimous in the opinion that shade is necessary. In clearing the land there, only the underbrush and a part of the trees are removed, leaving enough shade to break the direct rays of the sun. The plants are then taken from the nursery and planted six or eight feet each way, using the mountain or hillside in preference to more level ground. Land is thus used for coffee which would not be available for cultivated crops. It is not considered necessary to plow or in any way stir the soil, the only cultivation being to cut down the sprouts two or three times a year. The expense is thus reduced to a minimum, as the native laborers are only paid from 37 to 50 cents Mexican money, or 20 to 27 cents in our money, per day. The trees are thus cared for without any returns until the third year from planting, when a light crop is gathered, and by the fifth year the trees are in full bearing. They are then expected to produce from one to three pounds of marketable coffee per tree.

"Horticulture, as well as agriculture, in Mexico is crude in the extreme, and were it not for the bountiful provisions of nature in soil and climate, it is doubtful if it would be found profitable under their crude methods. The push and vim of the Americans is beginning to be seen, however, and it is only a question of time when the natives will have to conform to our methods or be left in the rear of surrounding progress. Already there are more than one hundred Americans farmers in the Tuxpan Valley engaged in the culture of coffee, vanilla, rubber and tropical fruits.

"The accompanying illustrations were taken on plantations of those not favoring the idea of shade, as the shade trees would obstruct a full view of the plantation."

Some Silver Novelties.

In few lines of manufacture are novel ideas more constantly developed than in the making of silver ware.

First by order of the importance to which the bicycle has attained are the silver mountings and furnishings which are made for the embellishment of the wheel and for the luxurious outfitting of its owner.

Among these is the silver oil can. This has flat sides, with a rider mounted upon his wheel engraved on either side. This is as dainty a tool as the most fastidious wheelman could desire. Another accessory which is both attractive and valuable, is the silver name-plate to be attached to the tool bag. Then there are the silver toe clips, beautifully chased, silver-mounted grips and all-silver grips, engraved and made to fit any handle.

From out-of-door luxuries to indoor luxuries is but a step, at the jeweler's.

For the work table, there are thread waxers made in perfect imitation of a miniature ear of corn or a half-opened pod full of green peas. The silver embroidery scissors now have a silver shield to protect their points, handle and shield both beautifully engraved in relief. A silver silk winder is an almost indispensable article to the woman who does dainty embroidery and whose equipments are to be above reproach.

Among the pretty novelties which are within the reach of almost every purse, are the coffee spoons whose handles are formed of a favorite flower, the birthday bookmarks which bear the name of the month and the corresponding sign of the zodiac, and the Shakespearean bookmarks with a familiar quotation engraved upon the blade.

Among toilette accessories there seem to be fewer novelties than usual. The only ones noticed were the watch stands, designed to hold a watch upright and open.

Garter and belt buckles are not new in idea, but new designs are constantly being shown, and an all-silver belt made of a series of medallions is a charming novelty.

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FRIDAY, April 24th, 2 p.m. Children's Parade. Seats on Tribunes, Seventh and Hope streets, 25c to 50c.

EVENING, 8 o'clock. Grand Display of Fireworks at Athletic Park. Admission, 25c; reserved seats, 50c.

Nine o'clock, the Queen's Ball at the Pavilion. Tickets for balcony and gallery, 50 cents to $1.50.

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EVENING, 8 o'clock. Popular Illustrated Concert at Pavilion. Admission, 25c.

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IN THE HERO'S MEMORY.

UNPRECEDENTED NUMBER OF GRANT BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS—GALENA'S INTERESTING SERVICES.

The Grant Family Today—Artistic and Costly Statues Soon to Be Formally Dedicated—Progress of the Work on the New York Monument—The First Statue Erected in Memory of Grant—The Grant Tomb the Most Magnificent Grant Memorial.

(From a Special Contributor to The Times.)

There will be more celebrations of April 27, the birthday of Gen. Grant, this year, than ever before, but in all the land there will be no more interesting memorial services on that date than those to be held at Galena, Ill., his home at the breaking out of the civil war. It is not that the programme will be more elaborate or imposing than elsewhere—indeed, simplicity is always a notable feature of the exercises at Galena on the 27th—nor will the interest be stimulated by any special novelty.

In point of fact it is the people who attend the exercises, rather than the exercises themselves that always contribute most interest to the Galena Grant memorial services. For among those who every year listen to the orator of the day on the great soldier's birthday there are many who knew him intimately when he was one of the most unassuming of Galena's citizens and when their kindly regard for him was chiefly based upon the facts that he was a good neighbor and a fast friend. Year by year the number of those who knew him best before the war is being diminished by death, but there are yet many who were much younger than he, who used often to see him on the streets and in the business places of the town and to all these, and to thousands who never knew him, his memory is something to be venerated in Galena as of local significance, as well as from his greatness as a soldier and a patriot.

H. H. KOHLSAAT.

The Galena exercises are held at Grant Park, a tree-shaded, grass-carpeted square in the middle of the pleasant little city's business quarter. In the center of this square stands a sculptured memorial of the hero of Appomattox, so that those who listen to the set address may behold his counterfeit presentment before them. This memorial was erected largely through the liberality of H. H. Kohlsaat of the Chicago Times-Herald, who was a Galena boy and whose action in the matter was prompted by loyalty to Galena as well as veneration for the general's memory.

BAS RELIEF FROM THE GALENS MEMORIAL.
(Representing the Surrender of Gen. Lee and published through the courtesy of Gen. Horace Porter.)

The address will this year be delivered by Gen. John C. Black, whose hurts received in the civil war were so severe as to warrant his being awarded the highest pension possible under the general law. He was shot through both arms and both legs and through the lungs and his wounds still trouble him. He is a strong Grand Army man, and though while the struggle was on he was not often thrown into close personal contact with the hero he is to this year eulogize, he yields to none in loving regard for his memory.

OTHER MEMORIALS TO GRANT.

It was in Leavenworth, Kan., that the first statue was erected in memory of Grant. The next to be set up was at St. Louis, then came the one at Galena, and then the magnificent statue of Rebisso at Chicago, which is one of the finest, most life-like pieces of sculpture in the country, besides being one of the largest equestrian statues in the world. New York has no Grant statue nor is one in sight,. In Brooklyn, however, an equestrian statue of the hero, modeled by Partridge, is to be unveiled on the 25th, and in Philadelphia another, also showing the general on horesback, is shortly to be set up. The statue will be erected in Fairmount Park. It will be the joint work of Daniel C. French, who modeled the figure of Grant, and Edward C. Potter, who modeled the figure of the horse. The bronze is now being cast, but it will not be finished before June 1 and it is improbable that the pedestal will be ready before some time in July or perhaps in August.

Both these statues are considered admirable in conception and almost perfect in detail by Col. Fred Grant, Gen. Horace Porter, who was present at the surrender of Lee, and others who have seen them. More than that, both statues are very well regarded as pure works of art, and may, therefore, be considered true adornments of the cities within whose borders they are located.

Tokio, Japan, also boasts of what passes as a statue of Gen. Grant, in this regard putting many an American city to shame. Grant statues are, however, projected for erection in Boston, Washington, Bridgeport, Ct., and there is no doubt that most of the considerable cities in the United States and many of the smaller ones will erect Grant monuments before many years have passed by.

THE GRANT TOMB.

But, although New York has no Grant statue, the dignified and costly structure now in the course of erection over his tomb overlooking the Hudson, in the upper part of the city, will by all odds be the most magnificent Grant memorial. Gen. Horace Porter, who has charge of the work, says it will be practically completed by January 1, 1897, and that there is no reason to suppose that its formal dedication, some time ago set for April 27 of next year, will be delayed beyond that date. Its total cost will be under rather than over $600,000, the amount collected, but the completed work will represent what could not have been done for less than $750,000 by private contract. This is because all who have had charge of the construction in the large sense have given their services without compensation, and because much of the material has been furnished at practically the cost of production.

From time to time certain persons have taken occasion to criticise the work of the commitee in charge of the structure for alleged dilatoriness, but a slight examination of the facts shows this criticism to be unjust and unwarranted. It is true that much time was consumed in raising the funds, but between the date of the work's actual beginning under Gen. Porter's supervision and its completion next January, only four years will have elapsed. No other national memorial of anything like such great cost has ever been erected in so brief a period. The Bunker Hill monument was thirty years in building; it took forty years to complete the Washington monument, and from twelve to fourteen years is required to complete such memorials in European countries.

THE GRANT FAMILY.

Each member of the Grant family, and especially Col. Fred D. Grant, who as the eldest son may properly be regarded as its head, feels deeply the significance of the great reverence for the general's memory shown by the people in the erection of statues and the holding of memorial services every year on his birthday. In a conversation with the writer recently, Col. Grant spoke at some length upon this point. His presence at Grant memorial services is of course in great demand, and the invitations received by him this year could only be numbered by the hundreds. From Manhattan Island alone he received fifteen, but he was obliged to decline all these, since he accepted one from Philadelphia months ago and will be present at the services there. He will also attend the unveiling ceremonies in Brooklyn on the 25th, and will divide the chief honors of the occasion with Gen. Horace Porter, who was present at the Appomattox surrender and will be the chief speaker in Brooklyn.

Death has not broken into the Grant family circle since the general's career was closed. His widow is in Washington, living at No. 211 Massachusetts avenue. The troubles and storms through which she passed in her earlier life have been succeeded by years filled with a tranquillity which it is to be hoped may never again be disturbed. With her is her daughter, Nellie—Mrs. Sartoris—and her daughter, Rosemary, who is attending school at Georgetown. Between this English-born granddaughter and the widow of the general exists the closest companionship, and the most charming friendship. Algernon, the son, has nearly finished his university course at Oxford, and the daughter, Vivian—the eldest of the three—is with an aunt in London, where she is attending school. Both Algernon and Vivian will come to America next summer.

Col. Grant, who, as the business member of New York's Police Commission, is one of the busiest men in all that great city, lives at No. 25 East Sixty-second street. His daughter, Julia, is a clever and charming girl. Naturally, she gives some attention to society, though she still devotes almost as much of her time as she did in her school days to study and to painting. Of the latter she is very fond, and though she handles the brush purely as an amateur, her attainments in that direction are extremely creditable, her portraits being painted with a firmness and breadth not to be expected from the hand of any but a professional artist. Miss Grant is not musical. Ulysses S. Grant, third, the colonel's son, is now nearly fifteen. He is remarkably well developed, both physically and mentally, being about as tall as his father, who is above the middle height, and standing first in every one of his classes in school. The lad is over-studious in his inclinations, perhaps, but along with his love for books there is a wholesome devotion to athletic sports that is highly satisfactory to his parents. By and by he will enter West Point, following in the footsteps of his father and his grandfather in this regard. As he grows older his face is taking on a striking likeness to that of the general.

Ulysses S. Grant, Jr., is living in San Diego with his wife, and their five children, Miriam, Chaffee, Julia Dent, Fanny and Ulysses S., the last mentioned being the fourth to bear that illustrious name. Next summer Ulysses S. Grant, Jr., and his family will spend some time at the famous farm in Westchester county, N. Y., and then there will undoubtedly be a partial reunion of the Grant children and grandchildren. It should be said of the children of Ulysses Jr., that they are possessed of more than the usual talent for music, and that their parents are indulging their taste to the full in that direction. Their mother is an expert amateur photographer, and her pictures of the Grant grandchildren are unusually good examples of camera work. The engraving of Mrs. Julia Dent Grant and three of her grandchildren which accompanies this article was made from one of a series of photographs taken at the last reunion of all the members of the family.

Jesse Grant, the youngest of the general's sons, who was a boy in the White House, spends most of his time in Arizona, where he is interested in silver mining, and is not expected east this year, so that there will probably be no complete reunion until some time in 1897.

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M'KINLEY CLUB.

Meeting to Be Held to Form Another One.

SAN DIEGO, April 16.—(Special Correspondence.) A rousing meeting will be held in the Chamber of Commerce on Friday night to form a permanent McKinley Club. Among the foremost spirits in the affair are Judge George Puterbaugh, Judge M. A. Luce, Judge Irving B. Dudley, Gen. Eli H. Murray, W. M. King, president of the Chamber of Commerce; Philip Morse, ex-District Attorney; M. L. Ward, Eugene Dorey, ex-Postmaster H. M. Kutchen, Capt. M. S. Sherman, Supervisor Arthur G. Nason and many other influential Republicans.

The result of the Republican primaries on Tuesday indicates clearly an almost solid sentiment in favor of U. S. Grant, Jr., for delegate-at-large to the St. Louis convention, which means an intense feeling in favor of William McKinley. The renomination of Congressman W. W. Bowers is generally desired.

Mayor Carlson's Congressional boomlet is looked upon as an effort by the Southern Pacific people to injure the chances of the Republican Congress candidate in this district. The people will oppose any interference by Huntington in their affairs. This boss-ridden town is growing very tired of bosses, whether they are municipal, State or national in rank.

Campaign Notes.

(New York Mail and Express:) Senator Quay's denial, through T. C. Platt, his attorney, of the report that he had got in out of the storm by joining the McKinley army is unfortunate for nobody but himself. It shows that he is still unable to recognize a full-fledged tornado until it gathers him into its violent embrace.

(Kansas City Journal:) Here is the political situation in a nutshell: The American people want an American policy, friendly to American industry and promotive of American prosperity, and they are going to have it.

(Chicago Record:) Senator Warren says that Wyoming will be for McKinley, too, notwithstanding reports to the contrary.

Russia's Crown Jewels.

A portion of the Russian crown jewels have been removed to Moscow for the coronation. The most important is the magnificent crown, which was manufactured by a Geneva jeweler at the command of the Empress Catherine II, immediately after her ascension to the throne. It somewhat resembles a miter, surrounded by a cross of five flawless diamonds and the celebrated pear-shaped ruby, which has scarcely a superior in the world.

Not Bad for Chicago.

(St. Paul Pioneer Press:) Chicago has had 83,664 arrests during the past year. This is a little over 5 per cent of the entire population as given in the census of 1894. Considering Chicago's pretensions to size and wickedness this is not such a tremendous showing.

SOCIAL LIFE ON A CRUISER.

"LET US DRINK TO OUR SWEETHEARTS AND WIVES. GOD BLESS 'EM."

A Yarn Spun, a Song Sung and the Hours Pass Quickly—Some Noted Naval Salts Popular on Shipboard—No Ship Floats Without "Charley Noble," a Somewhat Mythical Personage—Wardroom Chaff and Etiquette at Mess.

(From a Special Contributor to The Times.)

The social side of life in the navy centers chiefly around the wardroom mess. Around that table the senior officers sit. It is there that guests are oftenest entertained. It is there that the social etiquette of ship life is observed most strictly. Punctillious and more or less formal as the social intercourse of men must be who stand in the relation of superior and subordinate, it is recognized that the best discipline on ship board comes through a spirit of genuine courtesy. This spirit of courtesy gives a touch of happy informality to life in the wardroom and makes men who are crowded together on a long cruise endurable to each other. The social side of their life reaches a climax every Saturday night at dinner, when the presiding officer of the mess rises in his place, glass in hand, and if he is a strict observer of ceremony, says:

"DID YOU HEAR THAT SHOT?"

"Gentlemen, I pledge you the health of our sweethearts and wives. May the wives all be sweethearts and the sweethearts all be wives."

If the presiding officer is a man of few words, he says, but none the less heartily:

"Let us drink to our sweethearts and wives. God bless 'em."

With this a new social week has begun. It will end on the next Saturday night, whether in port or on the sea, with "Sweethearts and Wives." Meantime the wardroom chaff will go on from day to day and the "Fourth Ward," that part of the table where the younger officers of the mess sit, which is at the foot, will be the noisiest night after night and the steward of the mess, who sits in the center of the Fourth Warders, directly opposite the executive officer of the ship, who presides by virtue of his rank, will cast a look of concern and helplessness toward the more dignified end of the table, in the hope that his brother officers will never elect him steward of the mess again. No man chosen to that post of duty may refuse to serve, and he must serve at least two months. This rotation in the duty of steward is what makes naval officers epicurean in their tastes and skilled in the knowledge of the preparation of choice dishes. It is as much a part of their education and as necessary to their accomplishments as a knowledge of navigation or of naval strategy. It is what makes them probably the most agreeable entertainers in the world.

ETIQUETTE AT MESS.

The wardroom mess is never filled until dinner time. The first meal of the day, by force of circumstances, is a most informal sort of affair. Breakfast at noon finds only part of the mess there, because of the many duties of the officers. At dinner all are present with the exception of one or two, and frequently these find a way to get down to dinner. The "wardroom country," that open space outside the staterooms of the wardroom officers, is absent in many of the new naval vessels, sacrificed to the need of economy in space in modern warships, and the wardroom mess is where the officers linger at night after dinner, when the daily routine is done, to tell their stories, listen to the songs and discuss trifles. For be it understood no serious topic is ever discussed in the wardroom. Banter and persiflage rule there. If serious topics were discussed the wardroom would be at sixes and sevens the whole time. Men who are required to dine together would not be able to endure the sight of each other. It would be easy for quarrels to spring up detrimental to discipline. A warship without discipline is like a church without religion. Hence the rule never to touch on serious topics in wardroom life.

There is always some member who saw service in the civil war, and when occasion arises, and the circumstances are just right, he can spin a yarn that causes flushes of exhileration to spread over the faces of the younger set, as they wonder whether they will ever have a chance to display valor and their love of country in actual war. There is nearly always some one who plays the guitar, or banjo or piano well, and at times every one can sing, one-half of them only a little bit, and the other fairly well, with one or two good voices to help out the rest and give zest to the whole. Occasionally when two ships lie in port together, one gives a "sing-song" to the other, and then the wardroom of the chorus boat rings with an extra volume of song that makes such a night memorable. "Sing-songs" on the old Kearsage were always notable, especially if they occurred on the night of the 19th of June, the aninversary of the battle when the Kearsarge sunk the Alabama off the harbor of Cherbourg. That anniversary was always a gala day on the Kearsarge, and there was never a "sing-song" or other celebration on board when the "Kearsarge song," the one that told of the memorable fight, was not sung in wardroom and steerage, between decks and even on deck. The rare old spirit of the song sunk with the Kearsarge on Roncador reef, and the superstitious among the sailormen say that the waves and the ghost of the ship sing it among its bones as they rot on the reef, and that not until the new Kearsarge is built and afloat will the spirit of the old song come back to inspire the sailormen and revive the memories of a glorious contest.

On shipboard the social grades are indicated by the sharp lines drawn at mess. The captain dines by himself. Then comes the wardroom mess where the senior officers dine. Then there is the steerage mess, where the junior officers, the cadets, ensigns, assistant engineers and assistant surgeons dine. Then there is a separate mess for the lonesome warrant officers; those men belong neither among the officers nor among the crew. They are gunner, "bos'n," carpenter and sailmaker, appointed by warrant and not confirmed by the Senate. Sometimes each has a separate stateroom, but there are never more than four on a ship, and in some of the new vessels there are only two, for there is little need of a sailmaker or a bos'n. Then there is a mess of the chief petty officers, and finally there are the berth-deck messes for the crew, where there are ten or a dozen men to a table.

" LET US DRINK TO OUR SWEETHEARTS AND WIVES, GOD BLESS 'EM!"

If the ship is a flagship the admiral dines alone, unless he and the captain are of congenial tastes. The admiral's chief of staff also dines with the admiral if it be agreeable to him. The chief of staff is supposed to have small choice in the matter. The social relations of the captain to the other officers lie chiefly around the captain's table. He invites the officers to dine with him in rotation until all have been entertained. The wardroom always invite the captain to dine with them on holidays, such as the Fourth of July and Christmas.

There is always room for a guest at the table in every wardroom. Any member of the mess has the right to ask a friend to dinner at most any time and on stated occasions the wardroom, as a whole, invites guests. These dinners are always something of a formality. The officers are in their evening dress, as are their guests. In some of the larger ships there is room for eight or ten guests. The cost of their entertainment is assessed on the wardroom staff. When a person is enter-

tained as a guest of a certain officer the expenses fall on the officer who extended the invitation. The same rules that obtain in the wardroom hold good in the steerage among the junior officers, and in a crude way in the mess of the crew. The members of the crew always feel somewhat in touch socially with the officers when every day they see the Officer of the Deck taste their soup and eat a bite of their meat before it is served out to them. It makes them feel that the social distinction between them in the matter of food, whatever it may be in the matter of drink, is not so great after all.

Then there is a social duty observed by the wardroom officers as to the matter of calls. Whenever a new captain comes aboard each officer is expected to pay a formal call on him. When an admiral arrives, or another ship is added to the squadron, the duty of paying calls is delegated to a committee. If every officer were expected to call on every other officer the series of calls would not only be burdensome, but might interfere with discipline. Therefore, a committee of three is appointed in each wardroom and this committee, with its engraved card representing the officers of the entire mess, pays the required social duties. If a new ship has arrived this committee pays a call on all officers from admiral down. The call is returned in the same way as it is tendered.

There are certain mythical personages on every ship that have a distinct standing in the social intercourse of officers and men. One of these is "Charley Noble." No ship floats without Charley Noble in its crew, simply because no ship exists without a galley stovepipe. Charley Noble is that stovepipe. The relation of well-cooked food to the domestic life on shipboard is so close that the condition of Charley Noble, who often becomes indisposed, is a matter of great concern to every one on board. Charley Noble is always discussed seriously and he also comes dangerously near to being a serious topic of conversation for the wardroom mess. It is when a new paymaster's clerk or other minor officer comes on board and is taking his first cruise that there is unusual solicitude for Charley Noble. The new clerk learns that this Noble fellow is tremendously popular, but looks in vain to find him. On the recent cruise of the Cincinnati down near Key West a pistol shot was heard one day. Soon the paymaster appeared at his office and said to his clerk:

"Did you hear that shot?"

"Yes, I did," said the clerk, "and I was wondering what it could have been."

"Well, Charley Noble has shot himself; committed suicide," said the paymaster. "Just hurry and make up his accounts and see that everything is charged to him, so that we may send the papers to the auditor. It is customary in such cases."

The clerk made a grab for his book of daily entries and began a search for Noble's name. He failed to find it. Then he seized his index, and just then the paymaster had business in another part of the ship. Twenty minutes later the clerk hunted up the paymaster and solemnly informed him that he could not find that man Noble's account anywhere, and soon the Cincinnati was in a loud guffaw from end to end. The cook had fired a pistol in Charley Noble to clean out the soot and insure a better draught.

It is this spirit of fun that has given the name of "Jimmylegs" to the master-at-arms of the ship, and the appellation of "Sky Pilot" to the chaplain. The captain is invariably the "Old Man" to every one on the ship, and it is probable that he would not resent overhearing himself called that, provided it were not too loud, and the captain could pretend with good grace that he had become slightly deaf. Although the life of a naval officer is usually a busy one there are always chinks where he can stow away some recreation of which he is very fond. He can find some time to read, some time for pleasant games. If he desires to be alone he simply draws the curtain to his room and he is as thoroughly separated from his fellows as if a wall of great height and thickness intervened. When he is at sea, like all sailormen, his thoughts are largely of home and port. His strict observance of social requirements at such times is seen in its results, for whatever else may be said of the average naval officer, he is by instinct and training always a gentleman. His social requirements are the outgrowth of that consideration for others which marks the gentleman, everywhere, but which is hardest to observe where men are crowded together, as they are on a naval vessel.

FRANKLIN MATTHEWS.

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POLICE COURT.

Willie Horan Will not Enjoy Fiesta Week.

Willie Horan is an ill-trained small boy. He went forth to enjoy himself, and did so by throwing stones at a Chinaman. He was arrested and tried before Justice Owens. Yesterday His Honor passed sentence, condemning the urchin to pay a fine of $20 or spend twenty days in jail. Willie can't raise the money, so his fiesta week will be a gloomy one.

J. B. Rogers, a Main-street saloonkeeper, was arrested two weeks ago for throwing a man out of his saloon. The battery case against him is a weak one, and yesterday it was continued.

Frank McCann, alias Fred Wilson, a thief who abstracted a coat and vest from a rack, was yesterday condemned to wield pick and shovel on the Hill-street cut for 100 days.

The battery case against Arthur Rose was dismissed.

Josephine Antonio, Josephine Medad and Marguerite Harambourre are three fat hags who were arrested by Officer Shields several days ago for openly soliciting. The Antoine woman and the Harambourre woman are old offenders, so they were sentenced to pay fines of $15 each. Josephine Medad was fined $10.

Justice Owens took the battery case against Howard Babcock under consideration.

The two cases against Fred Yorke of being drunk and of violating the hitching ordinance were continued until 2 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Ah Jim's trial for peddling without a license was set for Monday afternoon.

Jacob Augustine paid a $3 fine for violating the swill ordinance.

A. G. Bechtol assaulted another man with a whip on Spring street at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The little Dutchman will be tried at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

On payment of $2.50 costs, the case against John Doyle of keeping a vicious dog, was dismissed.

Officer Briest had two wheelmen up before Justice Owens, charged with riding on the sidewalk. J. P. Masted paid a $3 fine. It was shown that G. L. Tock, the other prisoner accused of the same offense, was guilty of no wrong doing, as the sidewalk on which he rode was not legally a sidewalk, because it was on an unimproved street.

Sixteen drunks were disposed of, with fines ranging from $3 to $10.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of consumption, bronchitis, catarrh, asthma and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for nervous debility and all nervous complains, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. Noyes, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

FIELD OF POLITICS.

Quay's Change of Heart the Chief Sensation.

Some Instructive Figures that Make Things Clearer.

What a Great Pennsylvania Man Says—Democrats Getting Ready for Their Convention—Foraker to Nominate McKinley.

The Washington correspondent of the New York Mail and Express writes: "The most startling news of the week in Washington has been that in regard to Senator Quay's change of heart. It is not expected that every one will immediately believe the story which was first told in the Mail and Express, as it was so startling. I expect and predict that there will be a denial of Mr. Quay's change of heart, and it may be days, if not weeks, before he takes the public into his confidence. But the intimations which have been given as to the outcome are sure to be verified before the 1st of next month. A few weeks before Maj. McKinley retired from the gubernatorial chair, and while on a campaigning trip, he made a short excursion into Pennsylvania, and there met Senator Quay. The two rode together in a Pullman car, and for two hours discussed the situation. The two Republican leaders came to a perfect understanding and parted with the best of feeling. No promises were made, but things were said the significance of which is now becoming apparent. Mr. Quay had made Mr. Platt certain promises of support, which he felt bound to keep, and it is these which are now holding him in his peculiar position. Mr. Quay is anxious to join the McKinley forces, for he knows that the Ohio man is to be the Republican nominee for the Presidency, and he also knows enough to wish to be on the winning side. What he wants is not to absolutely control the patronage of Pennsylvania, but to share in its disposal. As a politician, he knows that Mr. McKinley and his managers would not desert and cast aside such Republican leaders as Mr. Magee, Charles Emory Smith, Martin and Dalzell. They have fought the battle against the "Presidential Trust" for McKinley, and they are going to reap the harvest. But what the Senator wants is to be treated on the same plane as these leaders, and to be consulted in Pennsylvania matters. There is every likelihood that his modest request will be favorably considered, but until he can get release from the conditions imposed upon him by Mr. Platt, he is obliged to keep silence. Before he returns to Washington, it is said, he will secure his release, and the predicted withdrawal of his boom will follow in time for the Pennsylvania convention to indorse McKinley."

The Conspiracy Failed.

Moses P. Handy says in the Chicago Times-Herald: "In the McKinley camp there is the calmness of assured success. On the opposition side there has been crimination and recrimination and much confusion in council. The allied bosses, repulsed at almost every point, have wasted much valuable time in attempts to find a scapegoat. Some were for fighting to a finish, others have been disposed to make terms with the victorious enemy, and it seemed for a day or two as if every man would look to himself and let the devil take the hindmost. Reed has received a well-nigh mortal wound from Chandler. Allison has been put in a false position by Clarkson. The field is strewn with the bodies of favorite sons wounded in the houses of their friends. Morton is in a comatose state. Altogether the situation from an anti-McKinley point of view is most depressing. No wonder that the air is full of rumors of new deals, old deals revived, truces, surrender and cries for quarter. The original conspiracy of the bosses against the public has failed. Can a new combination be made? Is there any way out? Is it better to hold together or for each man to strike out for himself and make the best terms he can? These are the questions that are knocking for answers at the doors of Reed, Allison and Morton, and which make the knees of the bosses back of them knock together in agony of apprehension."

Instructive Figures.

(Rochester Post-Express:) During the administration of President Harrison, the interest-bearing debt resting upon the country was reduced as follows:

1890	$125,000,000
1891	135,000,000
1892	40,000,000
1893	10,000,000
Total	$310,000,000

Thus far, during the administration of President Cleveland this same national debt has been reduced as follows:

1894	Nothing
1895	Nothing
1896	Nothing
Total	Nothing

"Look here upon this picture and on that." During the Republican administration of Harrison debts amounting to the prodigious sum of $310,000,000 discharged; during the Democratic administration of Cleveland not so much as a penny paid. But these two tables, significant as in the contrast, do not tell the whole story. How much did the Harrison administration borrow? How much has the Cleveland administration up to date borrowed? Well, here are the two exhibits. The Harrison administration borrowed as follows:

1890	Nothing
1891	Nothing
1892	Nothing
1893	Nothing
Total	Nothing

Up to date the Cleveland administration has borrowed as follows:

1894 (February)	$ 50,000,000
Interest, 10 years, 5 per cent.	25,000,000
1894 (November)	50,000,000
Interest, 9½ years, 5 percent.	23,750,000
1895	62,315,400
Interest, 30 years, 4 per cent.	74,778,480
1896	100,000,000
Interest, 29 years, 4 per cent.	116,000,000
Total	$501,843.880

This $501,000,000 of new interest-bearing debts is the price the American people are called upon to pay for substituting a Democratic tariff for a Republican tariff. If Harrison had been reelected and the policy of protection had not been interfered with, there would have been no occasion for any borrowing, since the nation would have been abundantly able to meet all its expenditures with its income.

Cullom Sees the Inevitable.

(Chicago Post:) The announcement that Mr. Cullom has bowed to the inevitable and virtually resolved to withdraw from the race for the Presidential nomination will not be a surprise to those who know the Senator's practical sense and his indisposition to waste his efforts in profitless undertakings.

He is now in a position to withdraw without loss of prestige. He has taken no part in the combine of the "bosses" against any other candidate and has conducted himself with good temper and propriety. He entered upon the contest in the belief that there was a "call" for him in Illinois. There is obviously a change of tide and he can now float out peacefully upon the receding waters.

It is no reflection upon his eminent public service to say that the people of Illinois do not regard him seriously as a Presidential possibility. It would be a reflection upon his judgment to assume that he does not see the logic of the situation.

An Opinion Worth Having.

(New York Commercial Advertiser:) Charles Emory Smith, editor of the Philadelphia Press, in an interview today on the political outlook, not only in Pennsylvania, but also in the United States, said:

"I think that McKinley is the coming man. Everything points that way now. The people seem determined that he shall go to the White House by reason of his faithful service to the cause of protection.

"Yes, I imagine he will be nominated on the first few ballots.

"Senator Quay has not gone over to the McKinley camp, bag and baggage, as yet," continued Mr. Smith, "but it is not likely that he will hold out much longer. He could more easily join the McKinley procession than Tom Platt.

"If it should turn out that McKinley cannot be nominated, then I think the candidate selected will be Gen. Harrison, and that would be gall for the New York 'boss.'

"But I think that the 'combine' will be defeated at St. Louis as they were at Minneapolis four years ago. And we shall win at the polls next November, too."

May Make Terms.

(Chicago Times-Herald) Quay and Allison are in a position to make terms with the McKinley people. Neither of them has burned his bridges. Both are professed believers in the right of the people to have their way. Quay started in this campaign with the declaration that he was for McKinley or Reed, and for a while he put McKinley's name first. In his great fight for the control of the party organization in Pennsylvania he appealed to McKinley's friends on representations to the same effect to give him a helping hand. There was no dispositon on their part to suspect him of bad faith until there was proof irrefutable that he had made common cause with Mr. Platt. . . . Allison is in as good, and perhaps, in better position than Quay to run his contingent over to McKinley upon perfectly honorable and agreeable terms. All that he has to do is to stand aside and allow fair play. Clarkson excepted, Allison's supporters are McKinley's friends, whatever Clarkson may say to the contrary. . . . McKinley now has a lead of apout seventy-five delegates over the combined opposition. Next week will largely increase that lead. Harrison is the only stick in sight with which McKinley's head might be broken, but with what grace can Platt, Quay and Clarkson at this stage of the game come out as the champions of the man whose defeat was the original and prime excuse for their combination and hatred of whom is their greatest bond of sympathy?

Democrats Getting Ready.

(Chicago Record:) The arrival of the cheerful Mr. Harrity and the other members of the Democratic National sub-committee will serve as a reminder to the public that there is more than one party in the field. Heretofore, the Republicans have filled the public eye to the exclusion of nearly everything else. But there is nothing in the conduct of Mr. Harrity and his associates to indicate that these gentlemen do not have a firm and cheery belief that the Chicago convention is not to be held in vain. Mr. Harrity is putting up a fine article of talk about his favorite candidate, Mr. Pattison of Pennsylvania, and the Hon. S. P. Sheerin of Indiana is equally enthusiastic about the chances of Gov. Matthews. The other committeemen seem to be divided in accord with the preferences of their respective States.

Mr. Harrity's enthusiastic references to Mr. Pattison, however, and his announcement that the latter will have the solid Pennsylvania vote in the convention, may be taken as an interesting sign of the possibilities of the situation. The people, so far as they have inspected Democratic candidates at all, have devoted their attention to Carlisle and Olney and Whitney. But the Democracy also has a crop of favorite sons, and among these Mr. Pattison and Gov. Matthews stand distinctly prominent.

Foraker Will Nominate McKinley.

The New York Mail and Express, in a special letter from Washington, says: "Joseph Benson Foraker of Ohio will put William McKinley in nomination at St. Louis, and John M. Thurston of Nebraska will make the first speech seconding the nomination. This statement, which is now made positively for the first time, silences once for all the rumors of disagreements between the two Ohio statesmen. So steadily has the McKinley boom been gaining within the last week, that the managers at this end of the line are beginning to think of the time after the convention, and how the campaign is to be managed. It can be stated upon authority, that, notwithstanding the many rumors to the contrary, Maj. McKinley will begin his campaign unpledged as to Cabinet officers, or other appointments. Despite the predictions of the opposition that the McKinley boom has reached its height, it can be said that during the coming week, or so, there will be movements in the Western States, which will add materially to the strength of the Ohio man on the first ballot. North Dakota, Wyoming, Montana, and even Idaho, are down on the list to swing into line, which will leave only Nevada and Colorado of the silver States outside the breastworks, and there is no certainty that these two will stay there."

New York Republicans.

The New York Tribune publishes a report of a meeting held in New York City by the Eighth Assembly District, at which Col. Charles H. Denison said: "The convention will nominate McKinley, but if it doesn't, we will nominate and elect him over all. Let that go down to the end of the McKinley hosts. I undertake to say that he will get 25 per cent. more majority than any other candidate. Let me repeat, convention or on convention, the people want McKinley, and will have McKinley."

J. R. McKelvey a workingman, spoke, from the workingmen's point of view, of the good results McKinleyism would produce for them. A. H. Steele closed the speaking with a vigorous address in favor of the man whom the people want. Then three hearty cheers for McKinley were called for and given with a will.

Prediction Verified.

(St. Paul Pioneer Press:) As the Pioneer Press long ago predicted, Oregon has declared for McKinley and sound money. Its platform on this question, like that of Ohio, is substantially copied from the Republican national platform of 1892. . . The Pioneer Press prophesied that the two Dakotas, Oregon, Washington and California, all counted as free-silver States, would declare for sound money. The prophecy has come true in North and South Dakota and in Oregon. Washington and California remain to be heard from. And it is equally safe to predict that as Oregon goes all the other Pacific States will go on the Presidential question. They will be solid for McKinley and sound money.

Harrison's Attorney-General.

(New York Tribune:) Another man who talks in favor of McKinley is ex-Atty.-Gen. W. H. H. Miller of Indiana. Mr. Miller said yesterday that since the withdrawal of Gen. Harrison from the race McKinley was the favorite in his State. "While Gen. Harrison was in the race," he added, "we were all enthusiastically for him, but his withdrawal, which is sincere, leaves the field open. The policy of protection finds many warm supporters in Indiana, and it looks to me as if the Ohio man would get a majority of the votes from Indiana, and from the present outlook it seems to me that he will be nominated on the first ballot."

McKinleyism in San Diego.

SAN DIEGO, April 17.—(Special Correspondence.) The organization meeting of the McKinley Club at the Chamber of Commerce on Friday evening brought before a large audience of earnest Republicans some of the most prominent speakers of the county, who sounded the bugle for McKinley in a way betokening their sincerity for "Prosperity's Advance Agent." C. F. Henking was chosen president; Philip Morse, vice-president; W. H. C. Ecker, secretary; Judge Irving B. Dudley, Capt. M. Sherman, E. J. Louis, Executime Committee. Gen. Eli H. Murray made the opening speech, saying in part:

"The Republican party is as essential to the well-being of this republic as at any time in the history of the country. It is more necessary now than for fifteen or twenty years past. If it is true that the blood and treasure expended in crushing slavery and making this a nation of free men was well spent, then I hold that the Republican party is still needed to carry on its work for the perpetuation of this republic, not less than during those dark and bloody days. We know that the Democratic party is not great enough to carry on the government of seventy millions of people. The next question is: Is the Republican party still great enough and unselfish enough to bring this country out of the dangers that beset it and place it once more on firm and prosperous grounds? I believe it is." Gen. Murray then expressed his belief that the St. Louis nominee would be elected President and that the necessities of the nation and its prosperity would be best advanced by William McKinley, and he also expressed the wish that U. S. Grant, Jr., be nominated a delegate-at-large from this State and W. W. Bowers as Congressman from this district.

Philip Morse, president of the Chamber of Commerce, made a graceful speech, in which he expressed the hope that at the proper time the news would be flashed here "that William McKinley has been chosen President, and thus shock the Democratic party to sleep for the next twenty years."

Judge M. A. Luce said that he was in favor of McKinley, because he was convinced that McKinley was not a tool of the bosses, nor owned by corporation wealth, nor under the control of any corrupt influence.

Ex-Dist.-Atty. Ward said that while Allison was his first choice, because of his relations with him in Iowa, yet if McKinley should be nominated, "no man will follow his banner with more enthusiasm than the speaker."

Judge George Puterbaugh remarked that he had not spoken at political meetings for about a dozen years, saying: "The last time I participated in a campaign was in Illinois, and I hollered myself hoarse all through my district trying to apologize for the overloaded condition of the United States treasury. Now I don't think that one of the arguments I used then would be in good taste at this time." Judge Puterbaugh pointed out that he found the wages of laborers and the condition of farmers were poorer under free trade than under protection; and that when protection was restored the wages of laborers increased and the working classes and farmers became more prosperous and contented. He favored William McKinley for President, because McKinley represented better than any other man at the present time the cardinal principle of protection to American industries.

D. C. Reed favored McKinley first, last and all the time. He hoped that the Sacramento convention would instruct its delegates for McKinley, and that the county convention held in this city today should instruct its delegates to vote for U. S. Grant, Jr., as delegate-at-large to St. Louis.

CAMPAIGN NOTES.

(Chicago Times-Herald:) Has Mr. Whitney made up Mr. Clevland's mind yet as to the nomination?

(Cleveland World:) It is understood that the New York delgation is to carry the McKinley boom to St. Louis in a trunk with a time-lock.

(Chicago Times-Herald:) Mr. Chandler's effort to explain that New Hampshire incident has resulted in a serious overdraft on his vocabulary.

(Chicago Times-Herald:) Ex-Gov. Campbell continues to insist that the Democrats should get together and go down in one grand, sweet heap.

(Chicago Record:) The Platt-Quay patent automatic train-flagging and track-switching device has now been thoroughly tested on the McKinley flyer, but without success.

(Chicago Record:) The only man of prominence who still pretends to be for the Speaker is ex-Representative Mudd, who is such an admirer of the Maine candidate that he named one of his children "Thomas Brackett Reed Mudd."

(New York Mail and Express:) There are interesting rumors that Mr. Quay is preparing to come in out of the dampness. The confirmation of these stories would be simply another proof of the gentleman's superb cranial development.

(New York Mail and Express:) When the thing is simmered down to its final essence, it will probably be found that the Robert E. Pattison boom for President is merely a little cogwheel in the intricate mechanism of the third-term movement.

(Kansas City Star:) The Washington Star speaks of the Vice-President of the United States as an "emergency man." For that reason he ought to be a strong man and his qualifications ought to be such as to fit him for the highest office in the nation.

(St.Louis Republic:) William R. Morrison, it is stated, confines himself to two drinks of whisky a day. Any man who has been in Washington for more than twenty years and yet so limits himself deserves the best gift in the hands of the people.

(Arizona Gazette:) Numerous estimates have been given of McKinley's vote at St. Louis, but Tom Platt maintains a dignified silence when an estimate of Morton's vote is asked for.

(San Jacinto, Cal., Register:) There is a great call for McKinley and protection just now, and yet it would seem that Alison, Morton and those other fellows need protection most.

(St. Louis Globe-Democrat:) No one denies the high importance of the Vice-Presidency, and yet it is considered almost an affront to the average politician to mention his name for the second place in the United States government. The nomination is made in reckless haste, and more than once has been repented at leisure.

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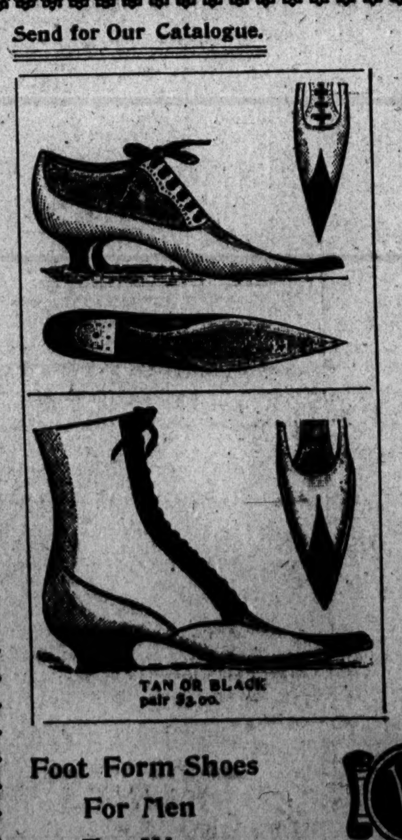

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Ball in Honor of La Fiesta's Queen. Games at Athletic Park—Fireworks Friday Night—Arrangement of the Tribunes.

The city is donning its holiday attire, and the public streets, places of business and private residences are being extensively decorated. The carnival spirit and enthusiasm is making itself known by the display of the fiesta colors upon the coats of males and the hats and dresses of the ladies, while the rising generation is tooting the fiesta whistle to the unmost extent. Tourists are arriving with each incoming train, crowding the hotels and lodging-houses and adding by their presence to the general air of bustle and celebration.

Yesterday banners were strung along Main street and the thoroughfares leading to the railroad depots and tomorrow the large decorations on Spring street and Broadway will be placed in position, as well as the electric lights. Thousands of palm leaves have been attached to the electric poles and the effect of the decorations will be very pleasing.

The ball in honor of Her Majesty, the Queen on Friday evening, will be the great social function of the evening. The dresses of the Queen and the ladies who attend will be rich in material and marvelous in design, while the gentlemen will appear in full evening dress. The two young sons of Fred K. Rule, Roy and Gerald, will act as the Queen's pages on that occasion, and carry Her Majesty's long train. The young men will be appropriately attired in court dress. The glittering uniforms of the officers of the U.S.S. Philadelphia, as well as the members of Gov. Budd's staff and officers of the National Guard, will add to the brilliancy of the occasion and give the event the greatest eclat. After the Queen has taken her seat on the throne, which will be especially decorated for this event, the ladies of her court will perform a graceful dance of honor to Her Majesty. Lowinski's orchestra, consisting of thirty instruments, will render the dance music and in the interludes Ronvonieri's American Concert Band will discourse operatic music. The floor will be canvased, and the hall will be decorated in a most unique manner.

The games at Athletic Park on Thursday will undoubtedly attract an immense concourse of people, who will witness some keen and well contested sport and exciting races, and also some very amusing features.

The 300 marines from the flagship Philadelphia, who have been permitted by Admiral Beardslee to give an exhibition of their shore drill will be very interesting, as well as the competitive drill of the gallant soldiers of the Seventh Regiment of the N.G.C. who, under the eyes of the Queen, will march for laurels and fame.

The entries for the foot races and bicycle races are very numerous and the closing event, the greased-pig race, will cause shouts of laughter. The pig has gone into training and will undoubtedly develop great speed.

Follows Bros. of the Camp Hotel at San Gabriel Cañon have entered five burros for the Rocky-Mountain burro race.

The fireworks on Friday evening will be brilliant and will furnish one of the greatest spectacular events of this character ever seen in Southern California. The two largest pieces are a portrait of the Queen and a mounted caballero, shown in fiesta colors. The Pain's Fireworks Company of New York, who have furnished the set pieces as well as the other attractive fires for this display, provided the fireworks at the World's Fair, and undoubtedly the pieces on Friday evening will surpass any shown on this Coast in the way of effect and mechanism. The fireworks will commence promptly at 8 o'clock at Athletic Park, and those who desire to attend the ball will have ample opportunity to witness the pyrotechnics.

The commercial travelers, who proved very enthusiastic supporters of the fiesta last year, will again show their public spirit in the coming celebration, and President Barrett of the Traveling Men's Association has called a meeting of all the commercial travelers now in the city for this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Commercial Club in the Workman Block. Steps will be taken to have a representation of their number in several of the events and the part they will take in Tuesday afternoon's events will be a credit to their liberal spirit.

Alfred Roncovieri, the leader and director of Roncovieri's American Concert Band, arrived from San Francisco yesterday to prepare for the illustated concerts. His excellent band has been engaged to give a concert at Redondo Beach next Sunday.

Word has been received that fifty Indians have left Temecula en route to Los Angeles, and they will arrive in this city tomorrow evening. Capt. Weaver, who is in command, will see to their comfort while here. They will give a representation of their old style of hunting and will be dressed in their native garbs, with bow and arrows.

To form an idea of the magnitude of the Floral Parade, it is only necessary to state that already 132 entries have been recorded for the different classes.

As an instance of the popularity of the fiesta it may be stated that the Executive Committee received yesterday a contribution of $112.50, voluntarily contributed by the employés of the Santa Fé at La Grande Station, in Superintendent Beamer's department.

ANNOYED AN OLD SOLDIER.

Tough Young Man Tore Up a Veteran's Papers.

J. A. Derringer is an old soldier, one who served in two different Pennsylvania regiments, fighting from end to end of the war. But now when he has begun to grow old, times are hard with him and he has become a member of the Soldiers' Home at Santa Monica.

As some of the old soldiers do once in a while, Derringer got drunk some weeks ago and was sent up to the County Jail for a term. While there he was much annoyed by the teasings of a young thief, John Sullivan, who was serving out a sentence there. Sullivan called him foul names. Derringer declares that Sullivan one day took from him a bundle of papers and maliciously destroyed them. In the package were two discharges, a pension card, a signed furlough from the Soldiers' Home and numerous other documents highly prized by the veteran.

Yesterday morning Derringer went into a Main-street saloon. While there he met Sullivan, just recently relased from jail. The old soldier went out and summoned a policeman—Officer Henderson—and had the man arrested for malicious mischief. Sullivan pleaded not guilty. He will be tried Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

New Police Blotter.

Yesterday morning the big book in which are written the names of all the offenders, great and small, who are arrested by the police, was laid aside for a new one. It was clear full, from cover to cover, with the names and offenses of a multitude of men, women and children. It took five and one-half months to fill it—from November 1, 1895, to April 18, 1896.

F. E. Browne's Furnace Cheaper
By 20 per cent. if ordered now. No money need be paid till Nov. 1. 314 S. Spring.

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This apparatus is designed for the treatment of diseases of the respiratory tract, catarrh, bronchitis and lung troubles, with our heating apparatus, by means of which the dry, comminuted medicine can be applied hot to the diseased surfaces with peculiar efficiency.

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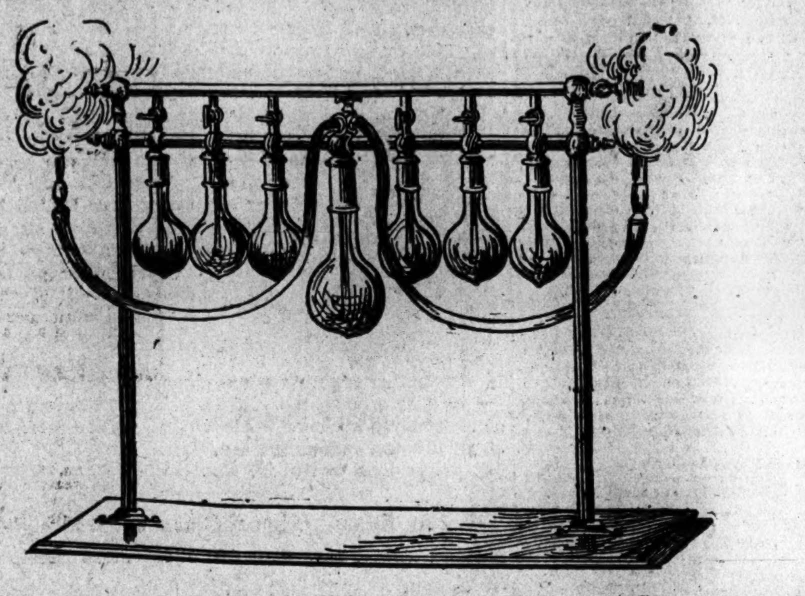

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Did you ever stop to think of the wonderful advancement being made in medical science? The daily papers have lately informed us of the wonderful X rays that have done so much in the way of helping the physician to properly diagnose diseases. It is now said to kill the germ of consumption.

To Dr. John Robertson is given the credit of inventing an apparatus that will positively convey medicine direct to the lungs and destroy the germ of Tuberculosis in its early stages. For the cure of Catarrh and Bronchial troubles this treatment is without a doubt the most wonderful of modern times.

We believe that we have succeeded in producing the most efficient and convenient apparatus and process ever invented for the application of remedies directly to the respiratory tract, middle ear, etc. While we make no claims to results that border on the miraculous, we can positively assert that the treatment is efficient for the purposes for which it is recommended. The combination of remedies in the nebulous state, that are chemically incompatible in the liquid state (made possible only by the use of this apparatus invention) has brought to light advantages and possibilities even beyond what was in the mind of the inventor. The direct application of remedies to the respiratory tracts and other passages and cavities of the body has long been of uncertain value on account of the inefficiency of the means employed. The Pneumachemic apparatus makes this theory of treatment practical and successful.

All sufferers from catarrh, bronchitis and lung tr onbles will be given a trial treatment free. Come and test this wonderful invention free of charge. Don't waste your time and money on worthless and dangerous cocaine spray treatments. Go to the Botanic Medical Institute for modern treatment.

The Public.

A special invitation is extended to the public to call at the parlors of the Botanic Medical Institute in the Gordon Block, 206½ S. Broadway and get a free test of the curative properties of this wonderful instrument. Dr. George C. Somers, the chief consulting physician will take pleasure in explaining its use and also administer trial treatment free. Last week over two hundred persons called and tested this new invention. One gentleman who has had a severe lung trouble for over two years, said: "I have gained more relief in three days by the use of the Pneumachemic apparatus than all other treatments in the past two years.

La Fiesta Visitors.

Patienta living out of the city who will be in Los Angeles Fiesta week, we extend you an invitation to call and receive trial treatment free for any trouble you may have, whether you need treatment or not you should not miss seeing the new Pneumachemic apparatus for the treatment and cure of catarrh, bronchitis and lung troubles. This is one of the latest inventions for the cure of diseases of the respiratory tract and is attracting the attention of all the physicians of Los Angeles. Last week almost two hundred citizens of the city called and tested its merits.

Not One Doctor,

But a competent staff of physicians who have practiced in the larger cities and hospitals of America; men who do not have to resort to the use of cocaine sprays to get $5. Neither do they have to publish statements of people whom they have never treated in order to get your patronage.

The physicians of the Botanic Medical Institute work upon their merit. They can prove their superior medical knowledge over country specialists either in public or private. The Botanic Medical Institute have the latest appliances for the treatment of disease. They do not have five little bottles, and give every patient the same treatment. At the Botanic Medical Institute every patient is prescribed for his individual case.

Vegetable Remedies.

Blood Remedies you should beware of, especially those that are cheap enough to give away. They contain gentain nux vomica and muriatic acid. The lining of the stomach is delicate enough without putting acids in it. At the Botanic Medical Institute you receive pure vegetable remedies.

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NOTABLE ENDORSEMENTS

Mr. Joe Silverstone, Three Years Chinese Interpreter, Police Court of San Francisco, Endorses the Botanic Medical Institute.

Such notable persons as Gen. Grant and Madame Sarah Bernhardt have been the guests of Mr. Silverstone on their trip through San Francisco's famous Chinatown.

What the New Pneumachemic Treatment has done in a severe case of catarrh.

MR. JOE SILVERSTONE, THE GREAT CHINESE INTERPRETER.

One of the best known and most popular young men of San Francisco is Mr. Joe Silverstone. For years he has been Chinese interpreter in the police court of that city and is considered one of the best guides for visitors who wish to see San Francisco's famous Chinatown. At present Mr. Silverstone is visiting with friends in Los Angeles, having come with thousands of others to witness the beauties of La Fiesta. For a great many years Mr. Silverstone has suffered from Catarrh and Bronchitis, he was advised by friends to go to the Botanic Medical Institute and test the new Pneumachemic treatment. When interviewed by the reporter Mr. Silverstone said: "Yes, I wish to say that my catarrh is a world better after two treatments at the Botanic Medical Institute." Joe Silverstone's address for one week, Burbank Theatre.

TO AVOID THE CROWD at the gates General Admission Tickets, 25c, are now on sale at Blanchard-Fitzgerald's, 113 South Spring Street. The seating capacity of the grounds, 3000.

....Fiesta Display of Pain's....

Athletic Park

Fireworks

Friday Night, April 24, 8 p. m. Sharp.

A Set-Piece of the Queen will appear arrayed in Beautiful Fires.

"STARS AND STRIPES."

Flag-raising Ceremonies at Twenty-eighth and Hayes-street Schools.

With an appropriate programme of exercises, a silken banner of the "Stars and Stripes" was raised last Friday afternoon at the Twenty-eighth-street and Hayes-street schools. At the Hayes-street school the following exercises were carried out:

Song, "America," school; greeting, Elsie Story; recitation, "Flowers for the Banner," first grade; recitation, "The Bonny Flag," second grade; song, "Many Flags," school; recitation, "Our Flag," third grade; song, "Flag of the Free," sixth grade; recitation, "Raising the Schoolhouse Flag," Alice Noyes; "The Nation's Color-bearers," sixth grade; "Salute to the Flag," school; song, "Star Spangled Banner," Miss Laura G. Bacon; presentation of flag, Ina Brown; acceptance of flag, W. A. Kennedy; remarks, C. L. Ennis; song, "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean," school; raising flag.

The programme at the Twenty-eighth-street school was made up as follows:

Song, "Our Flag Is There," school; essay, "Our Flag," Ruth Austin; presentation of flag, Sadie McCray; acceptance of flag, George Case; song, "The Red, White and Blue," school; concert recitation, "Love of Country," sixth grade; recitation, "My Country," Clarence Moore; concert recitation, "Ship of State," seventh grade; recitation, "Hail to the Flag of Stripes and Stars," Walter Rumpf; address, Superintendent J. A. Foshay; music, patriotic selection, Miss H. B. Minkler; essay, "Our School," with dedication, Elizabeth Dodson; address, Rev. J. S. Pilman; flag-raising ceremonies; poem, "And Now to the Breeze;" flag pledge; song, "America."

Grafton-street school had flag-raising exercises Thursday, April 16. The children sang several patriotic songs. Prof. Foshay gave a very interesting talk to the children. He spoke of the meaning of the flag to them. It gives a free education to every child in this school, in this city, State, and the whole Union. Though this is a small district, the friends and patrons contributed through the faithful efforts of Mrs. Gorman so generously that a large flag was obtained.

Did not Run Away.

Mrs. E. J. Trombly, whose experience with Constable Martin was alluded to in yesterday's issue, says that the officer did not make his identity known when calling at the rooms, and that the lady with whom she was staying answered his knock. The reason why he was not admitted at once was that Mrs. Trombly was disrobed, though she came to the door as soon as she could slip her clothes on. Her friend, in the melée, was caught between the door and a folding bed, and severely hurt when the officer forced his way in. Mrs. Trombly declares that she is going away, and had no desire to leave the city privately. It is her purpose to return in a few months, and she desires that her version of the case be made public.

Searching for His Sister.

One of the visiting hotel men, Col. J. C. Fox, proprietor of the St. James Hotel of Bradford, Pa., has a sister from whom he has not heard for a long time. Col. Fox believes that his sister, Mrs. Mahaney of New York, is somewhere in California, and he is extremely anxious to find her. He is staying at the Hollenbeck at present.

Were Not Disturbed.

A correspondent to the London Daily News tells the following with reference to the funeral of Carlyle: In the arrival of the cortege at Ecclefechan, Mr. Froude rushed up to the station master (who, by the way, after a life-long service on the railway, was run over by a train and killed at that station,) saying to him: "I hope every precaution has been taken to prevent any unseemly crowding; that the police have taken proper measures to insure the road being kept clear between here and the churchyard," etc. "Eh, man," replied the worthy official, in his pithy Doric, "ye need na fash yersel. There is na an auld wife in Ecclefechan that wad put her heed oot o' the winder tae look at Tam Carlyle when he was leevin', let alane when he's deed."

Beecham's pills are for biliousness, bilious headache, dyspepsia, heartburn, torpid liver, dizziness, sick headache, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, loss of appetite, sallow skin, etc., when caused by constipation; and constipation is the most frequent cause of all of them.

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Lea & Perrin's Worcestershire Sauce	25c	A splendid Coffee, at	25c	Imperial Key West Havana Cigars, box of 50 for $2.25, each	5c	Burke's Ale or Porter, in glass or stone, dozen	$2.25
Choice Pickles, half gallon jar	25c	Special quality Ground Coffee, at	25c	La Africano Imported Cigars, each	10c	Imported Beers, per dozen	$2.00
Pure Maple Syrup, 1 gal. can	95c	Salad Oil, full quart bottle	25c	Henry Clay Imported Cigars, each	10c	Burke's Irish and Scotch Whisky	$1.25
Eagle Brand Condensed Milk, per can	15c	Rex Kitchen Soap, 12 bars for	25c	Gen. Grant Cigars, largest size	12½c	Six-year-old Rye or Bourbon Hermitage, per gallon	$3.00
Royal or Cleveland's Baking Powder, 1 lb. can	40c	American Biscuit Co.'s Wafers, 1 lb. tins	20c	Otello Clear Havana, Conchas size, 4 for	25c	3 Star Martell Brandy, per bottle	$2.00
Manzanilla Olives, small bottle	10c	Genuine Imported Macaroni, Vermicelli or Spragatti, 1 lb. pkg	10c	Otella Clear Havana Cigars, Rothschild size, 3 for	25c	Nine-year-old Hermitage, per bottle	$1.00
Boston Baked Beans, in tins	5c	Gold Medal Oysters, 3 cans for	25c	El Belmont Cigars, Caballeros size	10c	Five-year-old Port or Sherry, per gallon	75c
Deviled Ham, per tin	5c	Genuine Imported Swiss Cheese, per pound	30c	Margarita Cigars, Rothschild size, 3 for	25c	Canadian Club Whisky, per bottle	$1.00
London Layer Raisins, in clusters, per lb	5c	Imported French Mushrooms, per tin	20c	La Rosa Espanola Cigars, Caballeros size	10c	Gilka Kummel, per bottle	$1.20
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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

reliminary Examination of Cook and Mings Brothers.

Testimony Reflecting Light Upon the Puente Murder.

Councilmen Surprised by a Communication from the Owner of the "Scott Electric Franchise."

At the City Hall yesterday a notice was filed with the City Clerk by a Pasadena capitalist of his purchase of the "Scott electric franchise," and his desire to light the City Hall, in compliance with the terms of the franchise. The Finance Committee of the Council passed on a number of petitions relating to financial matters.

At the Courthouse yesterday there was little going on except in Justice Young's court and Department One of the Superior Court. At the former the preliminary examination of D. F. Cook and the Mings brothers, for the murder of John Hayes of Puente, was in progress, and at the second the court was engaged in hearing evidence in the Nichols murder case. Both these hearings will be resumed tomorrow.

AT THE CITY HALL.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

Preparations Being Made to Light the City Hall.

Yesterday the Councilmen who chanced to be in the City Hall were amazed to learn that preparations are under way to begin the lighting of the City Hall with incandescent lights, by a corporation, in accordance with the terms of a franchise granted nine months ago to L. F. Scott. This franchise will be forfeited if by the 26th of the present month the City Hall is not provided with lighting facilities. The belief had become general that the owners of the franchise, for different reasons, had given up hope of carrying out its provisions. Hence the surprise occasioned by the following communication to the Council, filed yesterday with the City Clerk:

"To the Mayor and Council of the city of Los Angeles: I have the honor to report that I have acquired and now own the franchise for electric lighting, etc., which you granted to L. F. Scott, and his assigns and that I will be ready to furnish light in the City Hall as required in that franchise.

"W. S. WRIGHT,
"San Gabriel Valley Bank, Pasadena."

The City Hall is supplied with wires by which connection can be at once made with electrical machinery, but what is puzzling the Councilmen is where the power to furnish the light will come from. With only six days to accomplish it, Mr. Wright assures the Councilmen that by the 26th of this month he will be able to furnish all the light needed in the City Hall. This is sufficient to keep the franchise in the hands of Mr. Wright, who now claims to own it, and the Councilmen will not be apt to complain if nothing more than this is done for several months or even longer.

It costs the city at the present time about $200 a month to light the City Hall, and to save this sum of money would go far toward resuscitating the dilapidated cash fund, which more than anything else is now worrying the Council.

The communication from Mr. Wright printed in a foregoing paragraph, will be received by the Council tomorrow, and referred to the Gas and Light Committee.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Proposition Made to Translate the Old Spanish Records.

The proposition made by T. Masac to the Council, offering to translate the old Spanish records of the city into English, was considered by the Finance Committee yesterday. These records will no doubt be of immense value to the city in future years, and particularly in the litigation that will sooner or later take place between the city and the water company. That the water company appreciates their value is shown in the fact that this corporation has a complete translation of these records, and at the present time a practical monopoly of their contents. Mr. Masac offers to do this work for about $1100. No report was made by the committee regarding his proposition, action in the matter being deferred for one week. The following recommendation, in relation to the action of the City Auditor in transferring money from one fund to another, without permission from the Council so to do, was prepared:

"Recommend that the Auditor be instructed to transfer back to the internal sewer fund the sum of $7500, recently transfered to the Central Police station improvement fund, and that thereafter he transfer to the cash fund, which is the general fund of the municipality, from the internal sewer fund, the sum of $7500, as is provided for by law."

In accordance with the City Attorney's report on the demands made by various persons for a return of double sewer assessments paid by them, the committee yesterday recommended that $331 worth of these demands be denied.

The reports of the commissioners on the extension of Vignes street was recommended to be filed, as was also the petition of the Associated Charities for a donation of $500.

Building Permits.

Permits for building purposes were issued yesterday as follows:

C. T. Thomas, four dwellings on Kohler street between Seventh and Eighth streets, to cost $1000 each.

After a Rival.

W. B. Cline, president of the Los Angeles Lighting Company, with T. E. Gibbon, his attorney, interviewed the City Clerky yesterday morning, to complain of E. E. Peck, who is conducting a lighting business in the southwestern part of the city. Mr. Peck's operations have been confined until recently to the territory outside of the city, but by the recent annexation election, his system is brought under municipal control and taxation.

Mr. Cline's complaint to the City Clerk was to the effect that his competitor, Mr. Peck, should be forced to comply with the ordinance, relating to electrical concerns. At present Mr. Peck is not paying any license to the city, nor does his system correspond to the requirements of the ordinance. The City Clerk will probably ask instructions from the Council in relation to the matter and then act accordingly.

Want Its Name Changed.

Property-owners on Sand street have addressed a petition to the Council asking that the name of the street be changed to California street.

VISIT the Norwalk ostrich farm; 100 gigantic birds.

MASKS at Campbell's, 325 South Spring.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

THE HAYES MURDER.

Examination of Cook and the Mings Brothers Begins.

The preliminary examination of George D. Mings, Benjamin W. Mings and D. F. Cook, for the murder of John H. Hayes at Puente on the night of April 9, began yesterday before Township Justice Young. George W. Holton, Esq., Chief Deputy District Attorney, conducted the prosecution and Davis and Rush appeared for the defendants. All witnesses, except the officers who investigated the case and made the arrests, were excluded from the courtroom during the examination. Eighteen were present for the State and none for the defense, it being announced that no testimony would be offered on that side.

Thomas F. Hayes, a brother of the murdered man, and proprietor of the store where the tragedy was enacted, first took the stand. He said: "John had charge of the store on the night he was murdered. I left the store in the evening, the only persons there at that time being the deceased and William Bryant. Shortly afterward I saw the flash of a gun, but it was dark and I saw no one. I went home and undressed, when I heard four more shots two together and two after short intervals. The sounds came from the direction of the store.

"Very soon William Bryant came running into the yard and said John had been held up. Bryant went to the section-house to wake the men and get assistance, while I hurried down to the store. I gave him a rifle and took a revolver along myself. At the store I found a small blaze going but the room otherwise in darkness, the lamp having been broken and having set the floor afire.

"The body of my brother was lying on the floor, face downward. I felt his pulse and found that he was dead. The fatal wound was in the breast just above the right nipple. At his side lay his revolver and on the counter his pocket-knife and key-ring. The safe was locked. The back door was closed, but not locked, an unusual circumstance at night. I had locked it before going home. Neither of the defendants had been in the store when I was there that day."

IT WAS MING'S VOICE.

William P. Bryant was next called. His testimony was important, directly connecting the defendants with the case. He said: "I was in the store when Thomas Hayes left and shortly afterward went across the street with him to Mme. Dietzel's saloon to get a drink. Billy Finch and George Cross were there. I took ginger ale and John had beer. The others left and I remained, going to my room soon afterward. Soon Johnny Dietzel came to my room and told me that robbers were holding Hayes up. Johnny ran out and shot off his pistol in the alley. I went with him to the store and saw a man sitting on a stool near Hayes's desk, and John Hayes going into his bed-room. I caught a glimpse of another man. Both wore slickers or yellow oil coats. They had gunnysacks over their faces.

"I opened the door and went in. The big man told me to pass on and I did so. He had a white slouch hat on and the little man wore a black hat. As I got near the desk, John Hayes came running out of his room with a lamp in his left hand and a pistol in his right. I sung out to him to drop the lamp. The taller robber shouted 'Stand back,' shooting immediately. John fell and I unlocked the back door and passed out. I did not see what became of the two men. When John's brother came we entered the store and found John dead on the floor."

Two masks fashioned out of gunnysacks were here introduced in evidence, and Bryant said they resembled those worn by the robbers. In like manner the witness partially identified a dark-colored gum coat and a yellow duster as being similar in appearance to those worn by the robbers. These were also introduced. A white hat, which had belonged to Frank Rowland, was filed as an exhibit, and Bryant said it was much like that worn by the tall man. Continuing, the witness said he knew the Mings brothers well, and their general appearance corresponded very closely with that of the robbers. Being asked if he had ever heard the voice of the tall robber before, he said that he had, and that he was familiar with it. "Whose was it?" asked the District Attorney. "It was George D. Mings," said the witness.

Bryant had known Mings for eleven years, and said Frankie Rowland, whose hat he identified as like the one worn by the robber, was a stepson of George Mings. He remarked the hat when he first saw it on the boy, because it semed too large for him. Close cross-examination failed to shake the witnesse's testimony.

William R. Rowland, ex-Sheriff, testified to having seen George Mings with a white hat on like that filed in evidence on the morning of the day Hayes was killed.

FAIRY TALE ABOUT STRANGERS.

F. O. Slanker testified: "I was at Puente after the murder and talked with Mings about two strangers whom he said he had sen on the night of the murder. He showed me where they were standing; said one was about 5 feet 11 inches tall, and had a two-week's growth of beard and a mustache somewhat redder than his. One, according to Mings, weighed more than he did, the other about forty pounds less, and Mings said he himself weighed 180 pounds."

Slanker went on to say that Mings told him the two men had their coats off and hanging on their arms, being in their shirt-sleeves. One had a derby hat on and the other a black slouch. Both stood in the brickyard when first seen, then on the railroad, and then south of the railroad, looking over the fence near Mings's barn. Mings said they had been there for an hour looking down toward his house. He was getting his cows out of an inclosure and drove them right past the men to the corral and milked them. The men were still standing by the fence when he was through milking. All this, according to Mings, occurred between sundown and dark on the night of the murder.

Slanker, testifying as to the result of his own investigations, said the men could not have stood where Mings said they did at the time mentioned, for there were no tracks, the grass was not trodden down.

J. W. Lorbeer, City Marshal of Pomona, corroborated Slanker, having talked with Mings on the same day, and made similar investigations. He swore that no one could have been in the place indicated by Mings at the time mentioned. As George Mings and Slanker went down the street Ben Mings, another defendant, said: "He talks too much."

Sheriff Burr and Deputy Sheriff White testified substantially the same as the preceding witnesses regarding there being no tracks where Mings said the men had stood. Mr. Burr stepped around on the grass and found wherever he stepped he left a distinct impression. No such traces of any one having been there the night before were visible. Deputy Sheriff White testified to having found one coat in the barn of George Mings, the other in an outhouse, and the hat in the house, all being those filed as exhibits.

DEFENDANTS AT THE STORE.

S. P. Rowland of Puente said, at 5 or 6 p.m. on April 9, the night of the murder, he saw Defendants Cook and Ben Mings at the store. Cook came in to buy certain articles, looking around the store in an unusual manner at the time. Ben held the horse outside, and when Cook went out the two went away at the same time. In the evening witness was down at the railroad track and walked past the place where Mings had said the two strangers stood for so long a time. No one was there. He could have seen them if there had been. He saw Mings at work around the corral, and thought he had probably just finished milking.

J. F. Burns, general manager of the H. N. Morse Detective Agency, identified two masks filed in evidence, and made of gunny-sacks. He had found them Friday in the old brick kiln referred to, about fifty feet east of a brick warehouse in Puente, midway between the store where the murder was committed and the house of George Mings. One was well into the eye of the kiln and the other close by the mouth.

YOUNG DIETZEL'S TESTIMONY.

John W. Dietzel, a fourteen-year-old boy, testified as follows: "I live with my mother, who has a restaurant and saloon at Puente. I have known George Mings about eight years. I know his voice and could recognize him by that. I was in Hayes's store, the night John Hayes was killed, after a paper and a lampwick. I saw a man with a black slicker tell Hayes to give him money, and to be quick about it. The big man was pushing him through the door.

"I ran home and told Bryant somebody was holding Jack up. I saw a man when we went there who had on a yellow slicker. He was sitting on a stool and Hayes was kneeling before the safe. I walked in after Bryant. The large man told Bryant to pass on, talking low and harsh. Bryant, Hayes and the two burglars were the only ones there beside myself. The robbers were about the size of the Mings boys."

The coats were examined by the witness. He said the largest man wore a coat like the black one, the smaller one that looked by lamplight more yellow than that filed in evidence. The white hat worn by the tall burglar was similar to that exhibited by the prosecution. Johnny identified the masks positively as the ones worn by the burglars. Continuing, the witness said:

MINGS'S VOICE AGAIN.

"I never heard a voice like that before. I told others that I thought I knew who it was. I thought at the time that it was the voice of George Mings. I did not hear the smaller man say anything in the store, but when the large man said 'Stand back,' he spoke louder and not so harsh. I then thought it was George Mings. It was the large man who shot first. He fired two shots and the little man one. One shot struck Hayes. As the robbers ran out I shot once and they shot once after they went outside. I told mother when I went home that I thought the voice was that of George Mings. Bryant told me two or three days after Hayes was killed that he thought it was Mings's voice. I did not tell him whose I thought it was until three or four days ago."

The fairness with which young Dietzel testified was admitted by attorneys for the defense, notwithstanding the fact that his evidence was most ruinous to their client. They could not shake him in the least, nor would he strengthen a statement, once given, as additional effort was put forth to get him to say that he knew it to be the voice of Mings. Persistently, he clung to his original statement that he thought it was Mings's voice at the time the murder was committed and thought so still.

The examination will be resumed Monday morning.

THE KIRK MURDER.

Witnesses Retell the Story at the Trial of Nichols.

Nearly all of the testimony for the prosecution in the trial of A. L. Nichols for the murder of J. W. Kirk was introduced yesterday, only one more witness remaining to be examined on behalf of the State. The twelfth juror was readily secured from the special venire, Millard Filmore being sworn in to try the case. John M. Lucas, Esq., was associated as counsel for the defense.

Nothing new was developed in the evidence. The story of how the dispute arose between the defendant, who was a conductor on the Vernon electric road, and Kirk, a pasenger, was retold by the several witnesses. The objection to the presence of a dog on the car made by the conductor and the cruelty with which the animal was ejected by him angered Kirk and Nichols put him off, following him and striking him heavily. The dead man never recovered from the effect of the injuries then received and the question to be decided is whether Nichols can be convicted of murder in causing his death.

James Wood, Lydia Gross, Mrs. J. W. Kirk, Dr. J. A. Munk, Dr. Dorsey, C. M. Wright and Frank Adams gave testimony yesterday, the witnesses being the wife and physicians of the dead man and persons who were present during the altercation referred to.

Court Notes.

A respite of two days has been allowed in the trial of the case of Boothe et al. vs. B. Duncan. Judge Noyes has gone home to Riverside to recuperate and on Tuesday the gab works will again be in full play.

Christopher Jordan, a native of Norway; John Donovan, a native of Ireland; John Marugg, a native of Switzerland, and William G. Stoner, a native of Germany, were admitted to citizenship by Judge McKinley.

The cause of the Tally-Ho Stables and Carriage Company vs. John Burr was submitted in Department Six on briefs to be filed. It is a complaint on claim and delivery of personal property valued at $140.

Judge York yesterday appointed Orson Moore assignee of Edward Kilham, insolvent, and fixed his bond at $200. Carl Raiss was appointed assignee of Arthur Brookman, insolvent, bond in this instance being fixed at $5000.

E. A. McNett was granted a divorce from A. E. McNett by Judge York yesterday, on the ground of cruelty and failure to support.

Isaac Hetherington, a native of Great Britain, was admitted to citizenship by Judge Van Dyke yesterday.

The cause of the people vs. W. H. Baker, appealed from Justice Court, was argued yesterday before Judge Smith and a new trial was awarded. He is charged with selling liquor on Sunday and was convicted at El Monte.

William Bastine was arrested yesterday on complaint of Theodore Steiner, charged with threatening to beat and use violence with the complainant. His hearing will be before Justice Young next Wednesday.

New Suits.

C. G. P. Fluber sues the city of Los Angeles to clear title to the east six feet of lot 27, and the west twenty feet of lot 28 of the Requena tract.

The California Truck Company sues the Redondo Railway Company, demanding judgment that defendant be required to account for the freight received by it since April, 1891, and the charges thereon, and for judgment for $15,150.

J. S. Torrance sues J. I. Crites and Maud E. Douglass to foreclose a street assessment lien of $28.67 on property in Pasadena.

A suit for foreclosure of mortgage for $500 was brought yesterday by Carrie L. Peaslee vs. Ellen C. Ayers et al.; the property being in the Berry & Elliott tract in Pasadena.

Maria S. de Sanchez sues Herman W. Hellman, Abraham Haas, Jacob Haas and Jacob Baruch for an accounting of all transactions had between Thomas A. Sanchez and the firm of Hellman, Haas, & Co., up to the time of Sanchez's death, and for the difference between the amount of Sanchez's indebtedness and $5144, the sum received by said firm on his policy of insurance, with interest from July 27, 1882.

FOUR-YEAR TERM.

Decision Affecting County Officeholders Rendered in Solano.

A private dispatch was received by Sheriff John Burr yesterday from San Francisco, in which the information was conveyed that Judge Buckles of Solano county had rendered a decision that officers of the county elected at the last election had been elected for a four-year term, and not for two years. This decision was obtained by mandamus proceedings to restrain the Supervisors of Solano county from expending certain funds for ballot paper to be used in printing ballots for an election of county officers, on the assumption that the terms of the present officers would expire at the end of the year.

The decision, though confined to the specific case, applies to all counties in the State, as well as Solano county, as all officers hold office under the County Government Act. Appeal is to be taken to the Supreme Court from the decision just rendered, thus bringing the entire matter to the attention of the highest State authority. It was reported some months ago that a fund aggregating $80,000 had been raised by subscription from those now holding county offices throughout the State, for use in fighting the two-year term theory. Whether a test case has been made with the aid of this fund in Solano county, or whether such a fund has ever been raised, is a matter of conjecture. A ruling applicable to all counties in the State will, however, be had soon from the Supreme Court.

TERMINAL RAILWAY FIESTA TRAINS.

Special trains Thursday and Saturday nights next week. Trains will leave San Pedro 6:15 p.m.; Long Beach, 6:25 p.m.; Glendale, 5:50 p.m.; Pasadena, 6 p.m. and 7 p.m., stopping at all intermediate stations. Special trains will leave First-street station for San Pedro, Long Beach, Glendale and Pasadena at 11 p.m., Downey avenue seven minutes later.

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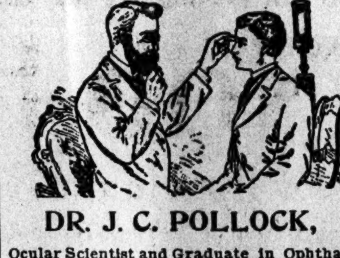

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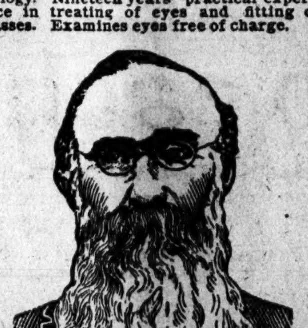

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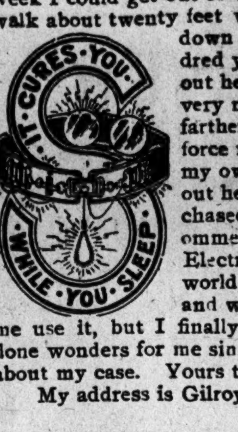

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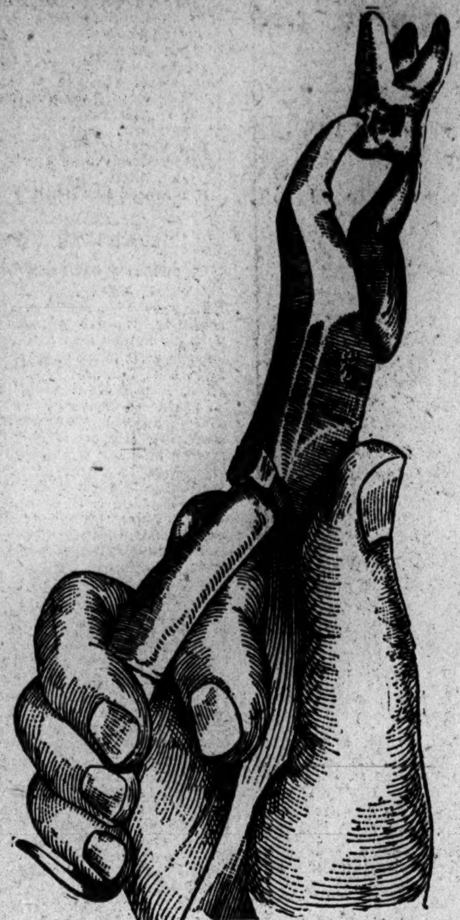

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Miss Elteen Sanborn Will March in the Fiesta Parade with Her Soldiers—The Only Daughter of a Veteran.

The Seventh Regiment, N.G.C., has a pretty surprise in store for Los Angeles, which will be sprung when the gallant boys in blue turn out for the grand fiesta parade.

Directly behind Col. Berry and his staff will be seen a pretty white pony, bearing the new daughter of the regiment, Miss Elteen A. Sanborn, who will then make her first appearance in public in the character of the mascot of the Seventh, to which position she was elected some weeks ago. Miss Sanborn will be dressed in the full-dress uniform of the regiment, which has been cleverly adapted to suit her, and which makes a most becoming costume. The helmet is white with a white plume and golden chin-strap, bearing the arms of the United States in gold upon the front. For fatigue there is a jaunty scarlet fez, embroidered in gold with the insignia of an infantry officer. The little blue jacket is elaborately embroidered in white and gold and opens over a close-fitting scarlet waistcoat, buttoned to the throat with gold army buttons. The short skirt is dark blue, with two broad stripes of gold and one of white, and neat little dark-blue gaiters finish the jaunty uniform. The gauntlets are white and the sword-belt of gold is a little gem, the hilt being heavily chased and gilded, with an elaborate sword-knot of real gold, and the blade chased and inlaid with black enamel, bearing in raised silver letters the name "Elteen A. Sanborn," on one side, and "Daughter of the Regiment," on the other. The uniform has just arrived from Cincinnati, and no expense has been spared to make Miss Sanborn's outfit a credit to the regiment.

In adopting the pretty French custom which has been immortalized in song and story, the Seventh has made a slight departure from the usual state of affairs. Miss Sanborn is not a helpless and forlorn orphan, dependend upon the charity of the soldiers, but the only daughter of a prominent and well-to-do citizen of Santa Paula. E. P. Sanborn is an old soldier himself, and takes great interest in the National Guard. He has been of much assistance to Co. E of the Seventh Regiment, which is stationed in Santa Paula, and his little daughter took such an interest in military affairs that she was jestingly named the "daughter of the company.' '

Several weeks ago Capt. Fernald of So. E waselected major of the regimen. A reception was given to the newly-promotd officer by the company at which Gen. Last, Col. Berry and many other prominent officers were present. The daughter of the company was in her element and exerted herself so successfully as one of the entertainers of the visiting officers, that Col. Berry promptly promoted her to the position of daughter of the regiment from that time forth The idea was received with hearty approval by the entire regiment and Mr. Sanborn, pleased with the distinction conferred upon his pretty daughter, at once gave orders that she be fitted out with a suitable equipment for dress parades.

Miss Sanborn is a pretty girl of 16, with merry blue eyes and beautiful, thick fair hair that hangs in a heavy braid far below her waist. Her manner is charming, frank and girlish, and she does not seem to be in the least degree spoiled by the dignity conferred upon her. She is staying in Los Angeles just now, perfecting herself in military drill, and preparing for her first parade next Wednesday. After this, she will march with the regiment upon every occasion and the white pony and its pretty rider will be an attractive feature in all the military parades of Los Angeles.

FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

County Campaign Committee Held a Meeting Yesterday.

The regular meeting of the County Campaign Woman-suffrage Committee was held yesterday morning at the home of Mrs. Elmira T. Stephens, at the corner of Sixth and Olive streets, about twenty-five of the members being present. Mrs. Mila T. Maynard was voted into the chair, and for two hours the plan of campaign was earnestly discussed.

The older and more experienced workers were strongly in favor of a "still hunt;" no conventions, no unnecessary talking, but quiet work put where it would do the most good. This method of conducting the campaign was advocated by the conservative element to be not only the most sensible under the circumstances, but the most effective. It has, however, been rendered impossible this year by the many conventions which have already taken place, and the Los Angeles County Committee has fallen into line.

The meeting yesterday was for the transaction of business, and several important questions were settled by the committee. A subscription was started to raise funds for the campaign, and many of the women present pledged themselves to pay each a stated sum every month from May to October for the furtherance of the campaign in putting speakers into the field. These will be most carefully selected, as the day for ranting denunciations of tyrant man, and wails over the wrongs of suffering woman, is past.

It was decided to form a committee to interview the ministers of the city, the object being to induce them to speak from the pulpit in favor of the eleventh amendment to the Constitution, which gives women the franchise by eliminating the word "male," leaving only "person," and substituting "he or she" for "he" wherever the pronoun is used. Petitions for the support of this amendment are also to be circulated among the voters of the county.

It was decided to establish headquarters for the committee in some central part of the city, Mrs. Alice Ludlum pledging herself to pay the first month's rent. The meeting then adjourned until April 28, when it will convene at the Temperance Temple.

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Frank E. Rose, a bunco man and confidence operator, who lived in Los Angeles for some time, nearly seven years ago, has come to grief in Milwaukee The fellow flourished here in company with two other men, James Hood and James White. The men were clever swindlers. They took advantage of the unwary in every possible way, with a fertility of dishonest resources that was appalling. The men were arrested and the cases against them were fought bitterly, on technicalities. The case against them here was swindling Hon. John B. Haskins, a prominent New York politician.

Rose has a national reputation as a swindler. On April Fool's day, three weeks ago, Rose appeared in a pawnshop in Milwaukee and offered to pawn a handsome gold watch. The pawnbroker examined the timepiece and saw that it was really a fine watch, probably worth $75. It is customary for pawnbrokers to give about one-third the value of property, when it is pledged. Rose declared the watch was worth $90, and tried to get $30 on it. The pawnbroker finally agree to give him $25. But when Rose handed over the watch, the skilled eye of the pawnbroker saw that it was not the watch he had examined. He refused to give anything at all on it, and Rose departed.

The police were notified, Rose was arrested, and on being searched, the detective found upon him a genuine gold watch worth $75, and an imitation one, of exactly the same size, shape, color and general appearance, but worth not more than $2.50. It was afterward found that he had worked the same game of exchanging watches in Racine, Wis.

Chief Glass says the town is full of swindlers and confidence men of every kind, attracted hither by the fame of La Fiesta. It has been reported to the police that this same game is being attempted here. On the days of the festival, when the crowds are gathered everywhere, every one will do well to keep close guard of his pocket and to wear no expensive jewelry on the street. The danger of much swindling being done will be greatly lessened if everyone will lock up his belongings and his house tightly when he goes down town, and if every one will remember that it is folly to buy jewelry, greenbacks, gold bricks, "lost" spectacles, watches, etc., from unknown persons.

ABBOTT AND LEON HELD.

Damaging Evidence Against the Alleged Robbers.

George Abbott, the hardened Mexican convict, and Rudolph Leon, the boy who has got into trouble by affecting bad company, must stand their trial for robbery, in the Superior Court. Their examination before Justice Owens yesterday resulted in their being held to answer in the sum of $1000 each.

The courtroom was even more crowded than usual, with a large admixture of swarthy-skinned spectators. Abbott's mother was the one woman in the courtroom, a fat, wrinkled Mexican woman, who looked continually at the son whose evil ways had brought him into such wretched plight. Leon, the boy prisoner, looked thoroughly depressed and miserable.

Messrs. Fitzgerald and Appel defended the prisoners, and Deputy District Attorney James conducted the prosecution. The first witness put on the stand by the people was Anton Thomas, the German saloon-keeper, whose till Abbott and Leon are accused of robbing. He told the story of the occurrence. W. A. Sloan, a grocer, who was in the saloon at the time, gave corroboratory evidence.

The testimony of these two witnesses occupied the most of the morning. In the afternoon the defendants recalled Thomas, and then put Francisco Rodriguez upon the stand. There was a decided sensation when Rodriguez, after faltering and hesitating over the first questions, suddenly burst forth with the declaration that he wouldn't lie for any person, or any money. Rodriguez's testimony was rather damaging than otherwise. William Helm, Ralph Ballestero and George Abott were put upon the stand, and they tried to show that Abbott and Leon had driven Thomas from his saloon merely for a joke, while Abbott was drunk.

The evidence seemed to Justice Owens sufficiently strong to warrant the holding of the defendants in $1000 bonds each, so off they went to the County Jail.

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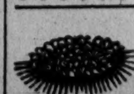

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FOR A FREE HARBOR.

A petition in favor of a free deep-water harbor at San Pedro, the site indorsed by the United States engineers, is at the Times office for signatures. Friends of a free harbor site are invited to call and sign the petition.

HUNTINGTON'S OTHER JOB.

The Los Angeles harbor matter is not the only subject that is engaging the attention of Mr. Huntington at Washington just now. That indefatigable schemer against the rights and interest of the people has two other undertakings which he is working with the quiet persistence of a mole burrowing in the ground. One of these is the scheme to grab a vast area of valuable mineral land in the northern part of the State. In this he appears to have succeeded, owing to the compliasance of Secretary Hoke Smith.

The other is the Funding Bill, by means of which Mr. Huntington expects to postpone the payment of a just debt which he owes to a generous government for a quarter of a century. To us on the Pacific Coast, who read the papers, it appears as if the facts in regard to this outrageous proposition have been so widely published that no intelligent person could be ignorant of them unless wilfully so. According to a letter from the Washington correspondent of The Times, published a few days ago, this is not so, as far as our lawmakers at the national Capitol are concerned. Our correspondent shows that Congressmen have been deluged with letters from their constituents begging them to help Mr. Huntington in putting through his little bill, while very few have written to advocate the other side of the question. It is easy for us in California to understand what power behind the throne has secured the writing of such letters as these, which do not represent the sentiment of 1 per cent. of the people of this State. It is another proof of the tireless work that is done by this corporation, which spends millions of dollars for the purpose, that have been exacted in the shape of high freight rates from the people whom it is now attempting to defraud.

Our correspondent stated that Bowers and Maguire are the only California Congressmen who have come out squarely in public against the Funding Bill. All that need be said on this subject is that those California Congressmen who vote in favor of Mr. Huntington's bill need not try to plead the "baby act" and say that they could not help it—that they were confused at the character of the advice sent them from California by their correspondents. These men know very well the prevailing sentiment in the State regarding Huntington's bill. If they do not, they are unfit to represent us in Washington. If, knowing it, they should, for reasons best known to themselves—reasons which their constituents will fairly well understand—vote for Mr. Huntington against the people, it can only be that they do so having made up their minds never again to ask the voters of California for any position of trust.

An instance of the manner in which Huntington is misleading public opinion throughout the East is furnished in a copy of the Financial Record, a New York paper, of April 1. In this issue there is an article on the Central Pacific debt, giving the opinions of a certain "Mr. Pondir" upon Mr. Huntington's plan for paying the government debt. These ponderous opinions are furthermore represented to be the opinion of a vast majority of the people in California. There is no doubt that the article is paid for by Huntington at so much per line, but many people in the East are not aware of this fact, and will doubtless take the statements therein set down for gospel. In reply to an inquiry of the reporter Mr. Pondir says:

"I think that Mr. Huntington's proposition is one of the most liberal that has been made, and shows the greatness and frankness of the man in this transaction with the Government."

He then goes on to state that any other plan would, in his opinion, result in an outrage upon the taxpayers. Mr. Pondir continues:

"Mr. Huntington's plan would relieve the government and the taxpayers of all trouble and expense by paying the debt out of the earnings of the property itself, and as a guarantee for the faithful performance of this undertaking Mr. Huntington cheerfully offers almost all he possesses. He is willing to pledge the credit of the Southern Pacific as a guarantee for the sincerity of his intentions, and the straightforward honesty and manliness of his purposes.

"As Mr. Huntington himself states to the committee, his plan has been approved in substance by every committee of Congress which has investigated the question, successive boards of Government directors, successive Secretaries of the Interior, Railroad Commissioners, President Cleveland and numerous others in public life, who have been charged with the duty of investigating the question and reporting upon it.

"In contrast with this consensus of opinion of the best talent in the nation, what have we in favor of other plans? Nothing but the selfish motives of a sordid set of politicians, led by a blackmailing clique in San Francisco, backed by a few scurrilous newspapers, for, as Mr. Huntington stated, seven-eighths of the people and the press of California are favorable to the company and its management of the Central Pacific Road."

The Financial Record thinks that Mr. Pondir's opinions on this subject are entitled to great weight, as he knows all about the Pacific railroads from the beginning. We are told that he has in preparation a history of the roads, together with biographical sketches of a number of the most prominent men who have been connected with them. It is to be hoped that these biographies will be as authentic as the information quoted above, especially that part of it which asserts that seven-eighths of the people and press of California are favorable to the company—which means the Funding Bill.

The Financial Record must have received a pretty good sum of Mr. Huntington's money, or else its editorial columns are cheap, as it has another article in the same issue on the subject, in which, after enlarging upon the immense benefits that the people of the country had derived from the build- of the Pacific roads, Mr. Pondir is allowed to break out into enthusiastic praise of his friend—and presumably his employer—as follows:

"What a debt both in gratitude and in hard cash the people and the government owe to Mr. Huntington! It will never be paid, and yet people talk about Mr. Huntington being in the government's debt. But on material calculation alone, it is admitted by the most expert railroad auditors, that the government has been paid more than the $60,000,000 now claimed in actual, ordinary services by these roads for which the management has charged nothing. And still Mr. Huntington offers to mortgage nearly all he possesses as security for the alleged debt. If there can be anything more magnanimous than this, I don't know where an example of it can be found."

One good result of the present fight over the Funding Bill is that the people, not only of California but of the East, are becoming informed as to Mr. Huntington's methods. Within a year or two we may hope that the American people will be able to lift this old man of the sea from their shoulders—unless Providence should remove him in the mean time.

HOPES FOR THE FREE HARBOR.

The hearing in the harbor case was completed yesterday. As will be noted by this morning's dispatches to The Times, the results thus far are highly encouraging to the friends of the San Pedro free harbor. They are said to have had positive assurances that the appropriation of $392,000 for the inner harbor will be restored to the bill, and that the price of the restoration will not be $3,000,000, nor any other sum, for Huntington's private harbor.

There will probably be no appropriation for an outer harbor at this session, though the hope is not abandoned that some amendment or other form of legislative action, recognizing San Pedro as the chosen site for an outer harbor, will be incorporated in the bill. If this can be accomplished, the friends of San Pedro will be satisfied. It will be a magnificent victory for the people, nobly achieved in the face of a most determined, venomous, and unscrupulous opposition.

Senator White has won the sincere thanks and congratulations of Southern California for the brilliant manner in which he has conducted the case for the people as against the Huntington monopoly and its hirelings. If victory has been won, as now appears, it is due in no small degree to his able and indefatigable efforts, reinforced by the able and fearless free-harbor delegation now in Washington, composed of Messrs. W. C. Patterson, A. M. Stephens, Henry T. Hazard and H. Hawgood, the engineer; and also by Representative McLachlan on the last round.

Huntington is reported to be angry—which indicates that he regards defeat for his cause as practically assured. Corporate Collis does not often get angry on slight provocation.

(In Florida.) Mr. Platt to Mr. Quay: "How do you stack up today?" "Feeble, very feeble," replied the Senator from the Keystone State. "I don't believe I ever will get strong until I take some of that d——d protection tonic that everyone is talking about."

A BAD CASE OF PILES.

The Southern Pacific Company has for several years been making a determined effort to convince Congress that Santa Monica is a better site for a deep-water harbor than San Pedro, in spite of the fact that the United States engineers have thrice reported to the contrary, their views being shared by a great majority of mariners who have had experience at both places.

As is known to most of our readers, the Southern Pacific Company formerly had a wharf at Santa Monica, and a large proportion of the freight coming to Los Angeles from the North was shipped by that route. About twenty years ago the company tore down the wharf at Santa Monica and moved to San Pedro, which it then considered a better site. The company was active in endeavoring to obtain an appropriation to San Pedro until competition loomed up in the shape of the Santa Fe at Redondo and the Terminal at San Pedro, when it suddenly discovered that San Pedro was "no good."

One of the reasons which induced the Southern Pacific Company to remove from Santa Monica to San Pedro has not been referred to during the present controversy, but it is of much interest as showing the weakness of the Southern Pacific case. That reason is disclosed in the following report, made to Charles Crocker, then president of the Southern Pacific Company, by Arthur Brown, superintendent of bridge construction, in August, 1878:

Office of
SUP'T OF BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION,
WEST OAKLAND, Aug. 29, 1878.

Charles Crocker, Esq., President Southern Pacific Railroad—Dear Sir: In accordance with the instructions contained in your letter of August 14, I have made a thorough examination of the wharf at Santa Monica. I herewith submit the following report of its stability, together with a general description, probable first cost and estimated cost of present necessary repairs, etc., as follows:

General description—This wharf was finished July, 1875, consequently it is now about three years. It consists of a roadway and railroad track, twenty-six feet wide, extending out into the bay 1334 feet; from thence for a distance of 240 feet it increases in width to eighty feet, and contains the same width for an additional distance of 166 feet, see diagram, making a total length of 1740 feet; along the last 166 feet there is a depth of 24 feet of water at low tide; at this point the steamers and large vessels lay. There are no indications that sand has filled in any around the wharf. The piles are driven about eight feet apart on a line at right angles to the wharf, and fifteen feet apart longitudinally. The wharf is built in the ordinary manner; originally the timber and piles were good as to quality and size; probably first cost $32,000.

Condition—Our examination has developed an alarming condition of the piles caused by the ravages of the teredo. This can readily be understood from the fact that over three-fourths of all the piles in the wharf are now infested with these terribly destructive worms, besides thirty piles replaced, and as many more hanging loose. Our examination could only be carried on between high and low tide, so there is still a good deal of uncertainty as to what is going on below low tide, where the worm is usually most destructive. As an example of their work, we placed some fender piles last fall, and in less than seven months some of them were entirely eaten off (a specimen of which I send you.) We find from experience in the bay of San Francisco, when piles are cut in proper season so that the bark will adhere firmly, it becomes a valuable protection against the teredo, but at Santa Monica the bark seems to be rather a doubtful protection, as we found some cases where the worms had penetrated the bark and attacked the piles; besides this, the action of the waves during the storms of last winter detached large masses of shell, etc., together with bark, thereby leaving the piles in a great many cases exposed to the attack of the worms. From the above facts you can readily see that the stability of the wharf is most seriously impaired, and at the present time I consider it unsafe for trains to pass over.

Cost of repairs—I have estimated the cost of repairing the wharf, so as to make it safe for the present, at about $9000, and probably as much more will be needed next year. I think I am correct in stating that all the piles in the wharf would require renewal every three or four years, therefore, I am clearly of the opinion that a wharf cannot be maintained at that point with any degree of safety, unless at an unreasonable outlay of money.

Yours respectfully,
ARTHUR BROWN,
Superintendent Building and Bridge Department.

By referring to the Evening Express of September 6, 1878, it will be seen that Brown's report was indorsed by S. S. Montague, chief engineer of the Central Pacific Railway Company, and George E. Gray, chief engineer of the Southern Pacific Railway Company.

Thus we find that nearly twenty years ago the Southern Pacific Company had discovered that it was impossible to maintain piling in Santa Monica bay, owing to the ravages of the teredo, and the company removed to San Pedro, where it is to be presumed that the teredo is not so bad.

Would it be impolite to ask Mr. Huntington, or his agents, or his organ, whether the teredo has since emigrated from San Pedro to Santa Monica bay? Perhaps the insect cannot endure railway competition, and was shocked by the arrival of the Santa Fe at Redondo and the Terminal at Rattlesnake Island, or perhaps the wharf rats are bad at San Pedro. In any case, it is an interesting scientific question, and it is to be hoped that the Evening Southern Pacific organ will enlighten the public on the subject.

U. S. GRANT, JR.

The Pasadena Current Topics, speaking of the candidacy of U. S. Grant, Jr., for delegate-at-large to the National Convention from California, well says:

"The candidacy of U. S. Grant, Jr., of San Diego, for delegate-at-large to the St. Louis convention is gaining strength and popularity. . . . Leaving out the consideration of the prestige of a great name, Mr. Grant is a substantial citizen of Southern California, who lives here the year round and whose property interests are large. He is out and out for McKinley, and will make us the finest kind of a delegate if elected."

It begins to look as if the booms of the "favorite sons" had all got swamped in the McKinley wave.

The countersign at the White House just now is not yum-yum, but mum-mum.

THE EVENING LIAR.

The Evening Espee is not content with printing absurd and misleading opinions in regard to the harbor question. It does not hesitate to deliberately distort the facts in the case. In its issue of Friday it published an asserted special dispatch from Washington which was evidently "edited" in the Express office, if not entirely written there. In this so-called special dispatch it has the following in regard to the testimony given before the Senate committee by the United States engineers:

"The engineers followed the San Pedro Committee. Col. Haynes stated that a breakwater was feasible and beneficial at either location, the cost being about the same. The wharves at Santa Monica now indicate a good harbor. The engineers considered the military aspect in reporting."

Immediately following this cooked-up dispatch in the Express was a regular Associated Press dispatch, in which the statements of the engineers are given as follows:

"Gen. Craighill stated he had made an inspection of the two places in 1894, in connection with the government commission and then concluded that he was still of the opinion that San Pedro was the preferable place for a deep-water harbor.

"Majs. Raymond and Haynes, government engineers and members of the board which investigated the respective advantages of the two harbors, also spoke in favor of San Pedro Harbor. They said San Pedro had a natural inside harbor that Santa Monica did not possess, and could be much more easily defended in case of war than could Santa Monica."

In the long special report from Washington, sent by The Times correspondent at that place, who is instructed to give "the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth," the testimony is thus given:

"Gen. Craighill, Maj. Raymond and Col. Haynes, United States engineers, were introduced and testified clearly and unconditionally that San Pedro was the only available point for a deep-sea harbor. The most rigid cross-examination failed to shake them from their position. After a most careful survey of the ground and an examination of the hundreds of witnesses familiar with the conditions, and competent judges, they said the government reports favoring San Pedro were upheld in every particular."

How is it possible for any sensible person to attach the least credence to a statement made by a sheet that deliberately distorts the news in so unblushing a manner, in its eagerness to earn the hire which it receives from a corporation that is trying to defeat the interests of the people from whom this paper draws its support?

Says the Evening Espee:

"We have shown that the Southern Pacific owns more of a monopoly at San Pedro than at Santa Monica; that any and all railroads can reach the ocean and use the Southern Pacific wharf at Santa Monica; that there is no Southern Pacific competitor at San Pedro, while there is at Santa Monica."

Might we be so bold as to inquire why, if these statements are true—which they are not—Mr. Huntington, and his agents, and his organ are so very anxious to have the government locate a deep-water harbor at a site where he has less advantages, while the people want it located at a site where, according to the intelligent evening organ, Mr. Huntington has the best of it? The Evening Espee evidently believes that the majority of the people are fools.

McKINLEY'S LEAD.

Maj. McKinley will have the solid votes from no less than ten of the so-called "President-electing States," by which is meant those Northern States which are reasonably certain to give electoral votes for the Republican candidate. These ten States are: Indiana, Kansas, Minnesota, Ohio, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Michigan, Nebraska, North Dakota and Oregon. All of these States, with the exception of Michigan and North Dakota, have already declared for McKinley, and the two States named are certain to do so, the one giving him 6 and the other 28 votes in the national convention. These ten States will have 204 votes in the convention, which are certain to be given to McKinley.

But these figures do not include votes which he will receive on the first ballot from a number of other President-electing States, such as California, Colorado, Delaware, Illinois, Montana, Nevada, New Jersey, New York, Washington, Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Wyoming. A fair estimate of the number of votes that McKinley will receive from these States, is 85. Adding these to the 204 votes from the ten States above-named, we have a total of 289 votes that McKinley will be almost certain to receive on the first ballot from the "President-electing States." This estimate is a conservative one, and he will probably receive several votes in excess of 300, even if he does not receive enough to give him the nomination on the first ballot.

The New England States cast 78 votes. It is generally conceded that Reed will have all of these votes, though this is by no means absolutely certain. Outside of New England, Mr. Reed will not get many votes on the first ballot. Allison will go into the convention with but few, if any, votes outside of his own State of Iowa. Morton will not be able to hold the 72 votes of New York, and will probably get but few outside of that State. Quay will get only a part of Pennsylvania's 64 votes, and will receive but few votes from other States. Cullom is virtually out of the race, or will be so before the convention meets.

The combined pledged, conceded, and estimated votes from the "President-electing States" for Reed, Allison, Morton, Quay and Cullom, is 263, while Maj. McKinley has in those States, as above indicated, 289 votes.

The above statement of the comparative standing of McKinley on the one side, and the combined field on the other, does not take into account the "second choice" preference of delegates. Most certainly McKinley is overwhelmingly the second choice preference of the delegates from New England, Iowa, New York, Pennsylvania and Illinois.

It is, therefore, an entirely warranted and reasonable claim that McKinley is "away and beyond" any other man the choice of the Republicans of those States that will cast their electoral votes for the Republican nominee for President.

"UNITED WE STAND, DIVIDED WE FALL!"

Many members of the American Protective Association are firm McKinley men by their own individual and first choice. A. P. A. delegates holding these views are Republicans first and A. P. A. adherents afterward. They want, of course, to enforce their peculiar views upon the convention; but they are not ready to disrupt that body, or their own organization, in the effort to do so. They do not recognize any sufficient reason, based upon existing facts, or upon Maj. McKinley's record, why a special and united "drive" should be made against McKinley by their order, and they therefore object to being dragooned into a hostile attitude toward the people's favorite. If the dangerous and despotic experiment should be made by A. P. A. "advisory boards," "councils," leaders, or steerers to "order out" the A. P. A. delegates and make them line up solidly against Maj. McKinley, there will be trouble in camp—more trouble in the A. P. A. camp than in the National Republican Convention. We cannot believe that rash counsels will prevail; we cannot conceive the folly which would precipitate a conflict in the convention that will be unwarranted, dangerous to Republican interests, and disastrous to the cause of the organization which will be responsible for that conflict.

Avoidance of such a conflict is very simple. Let all delegates go to the convention *as Republicans*, subordinating every other issue to the supreme one, and a harmonious, a glorious result will ensue.

There is no plan for the election of delegates so straightforward, so honest, so sure and satisfactory as for the friends of Maj. McKinley to place his name upon their ballots at the primary elections. The friends of all the other candidates can pursue a like course with equal propriety, placing the names of the men of their choice—Mr. Reed, Mr. Allison, Mr. Morton, or Mr. Cullom, as the case may be—upon their ballots. Such a course is manly, frank, outspoken and expedient.

The Senate Committee will understand that the City Council and not a little ring in the Free Harbor League represents this city.—Evening Espee.

The prominent business men of Los Angeles, who have devoted liberally of their time as members of the Chamber of Commerce and the Free Harbor League to make a fight for the people's harbor site, will doubtless relish this insulting statement, which places them beneath the level of a handful of men in the City Hall who have shamelessly betrayed the city to a railroad corporation, as far as it was in their power to do so. The City Council no more represents Los Angeles in its action on the harbor question than the Evening Espee represents the decent element of the city's population.

The Republicans of San Diego county, in convention yesterday, unanimously adopted resolutions instructing the delegates to the State and Congress District conventions for McKinley for President, U. S. Grant, Jr., for delegate-at-large to the National Convention, and W. W. Bowers for Congress from the Seventh District. This action on the part of the San Diego county Republicans is an overwhelming defeat for the bosses who sought to work up an anti-McKinley and anti-Grant sentiment. They signally failed in this attempt, and in their effort to prevent the instruction of delegates. San Diego Republicans have done nobly. Let the good work go on.

If it is no harbor, who will be the most hurt, Los Angeles or Huntington?—(Evening Espee.

This is Boss Tweed's "What are you going to do about it?" over again. Los Angeles will suffer to some extent, should Mr. Huntington and his hired organs succeed in deferring the commencement of work on a free deep-sea harbor in this section for a year or two more, but "he laughs best who laughs last." Los Angeles will come out all right in the long run, and while the city may be somewhat hurt, Mr. Huntington and his agents and his organs will be simply smashed by the weight of indignant public opinion.

It has been the habit of officials who betray those who elect them to count on the forgetfulness of the public, and upon their being too much occupied with private affairs to keep close track of the manner in which their servants carry out a trust. If the City Council and the Mayor are reckoning on this basis they will find themselves wofully mistaken when the next election comes around.

"Senator Allison," says the Jacksonville, Fla., Times-Union, "keeps a padlock on his tongue. He doesn't intend to give himself away." It doesn't look as if anybody wanted him.

Silence still reigns supreme in Florida. Platt and Quay must be jist everlastingly a-agitatin' of their thinkers to keep on saying nothing so long.

Tommy Platt he held the bat, and Morton threw the ball; then Quay he swore, right at the score, 'twas Mac who beat them all.

It may be that the President himself is down with the measles, which would explain why he has never written that third letter.

"Let us be up and doing," said Platt to Quay. "Yes," replied the latter, "and I guess we had better be up and doing it p. d. q."

"That ain't bad," said the delegate from Kentucky, as he swallowed his Bourbon with a dash of Ohio flavoring in it.

The extreme diffidence of the people at Ballona is probably the only thing that prevents that port of entry, exist and things from getting from this present generous Congress a very large and munificent appropriation for a harbor at that bit of seacoast.

Why Ballona should be backward about coming forward at this time the Eagle is unable to understand, for of all the moments apropos for a grand rush and rally for an appropriation this seems to be the most auspicious. Col. Dan Freeman is solid for Ballona and that ought to settle it. If that gentleman will go before the Committee on Rivers and Harbors in the House of Misrepresentatives, I feel sure that he can get a recommendation of a $3,000,000 appropriation for Ballona by the simple asking. The Eagle bird's grounds for this belief are based upon the ease and celerity with which our great and good Uncle Collis managed to secure favor for his port, and as Col. Dan is younger, more debonair and equally as seductive in his methods as is Uncle C., I feel perfectly confident that Ballona might have had a wad of wealth for its improvement, and that instead of two alleged harbors off the Los Angeles coast there might be three.

With this belief boring into the Eagle's powerful mind I cannot but censure Col. Dan for not going on to Washington and making a grand-stand play for Ballona.

Here is $3,000,000 utterly frittered away, irrevocably lost to us simply because Col. Dan Freeman was not wide enough awake to write out an application for an appropriation and then urge it with proper spirit!

Think of the money that would have been let loose in this community had Col. Freeman been attending to business! Think of the wealth that the working classes would have wallowed in, think of the stimulus that would have been given to our commerce—in fact, think of $3,000,000 piled up in a great glittering heap and then rise and roast Col. Dan for not asking for it!

It is a calamity indeed that through excessive modesty or lack of diligence this great sum has been lost to our tradesmen and working people. Here we have a country rich beyond the dreams of old man Avarice in one of his very worst nightmares and a Congress committee so open-handed and generous that by the simple request of one man it tosses out a $3,000,000 appropriation with as much nonchalance as a rounder tosses a coin to a beggar, and here is Ballona but waiting that amount of money to transform it into a harbor that would shelter the commerce of the world, and yet we see Col. Freeman sitting supine and indifferently watching other alleged ports get gigantic sums for harbor construction and yet Ballona doesn't get a blamed red cent.

The Eagle, sir, will remember this, Col. Dan Freeman, and this lack of hustle on your part will be treasured up against you long after Santa Monica has had its breakwater built and the great flotillas of commerce are riding at anchor in a roadstead bounded on the south and west by $3,000,000 worth of rock and on the north by Uncle Collis and a bluff 100 feet high!

It is through you, sir, Col. Dan Freeman, that Ballona remains nothing but a pile of sand dunes with an inner harbor that is only fit to hunt ducks in. It is your fault, and yours alone, that we, the people, have been cheated, swindled and chiseled out of $3,000,000 that we might have just as well had as not, and you ought to feel mighty bad about it!

And when the sou'westers sigh across the sand mounds of Ballona in the years to come, and the ducks unmolested paddle about in the slough where a harbor is not, the long, silent finger of scorn will still be pointed at you, Col. Dan Freeman, for having lost to this great and glorious community the sum of $3,000,000 that you ought to have asked for, and didn't!

Pauline, dost thou like the poster?

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A correspondent of the Eagle writes in from San Bernardino that there is a railroad agent in that town who can neither quote rates, sell tickets nor check baggage.

This may all be true, but it is possible that this agent has great talent as a harbor-boomer and a circulator of petitions. If this is his long suit he has a perfect right to play it, and the fact that he can do none of the things usually desirable in railroad agents should not be stored up agin him!

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The Eagle's good old friend, Mary Elizabeth Lease, has a new lecture which is entitled "What Ails Us?"

By gracious, that is just what we have all been wanting to find out for a long time—especially about Mary.

Some of us know what "ails us," but precious few know what is the matter with Mary.

If Mrs. Lease is really in earnest in this query, would it not be well to have Nicola Tesla turn a few carloads of cathode rays onto her? Maybe that would show up the trouble; or as one brute of a newspaper man has suggested, perhaps Mary should apply to a lunacy commission for a diagnosis and things.

We are all waiting, any way, with bated breath to know what ails Mary for sure, but the impression is pretty generally abroad that it is nothing more than just plain wheels.

The cathode rays would, however, probably set the entire subject at rest and relieve Mary Elizabeth from further speculation. If they would, who would dare to rise up on end and say that Prof. Roentgen has discovered in vain?

I wouldn't!

The high hat ails some people of Mary's alleged sex and the ailment has taken on such a violent stage in some parts of the country that laws are being passed on the subject.

If Mary Elizabeth has the high-hat complaint, that is what ails her for one thing, and it is an awful thing—at least to the man who sits behind her at the show.

In a word or two, I believe the answer to Mrs. Lease's query "What Ails Us?" is, high hats.

If I am wrong, then I'm sorry I said it.
THE EAGLE.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

A Sailor's Opinion on Harbors.

AZUSA, Cal., April 18, 1896.—(To the Editor of The Times:) I read the various arguments presented by several persons in the Los Angeles papers, during the past three weeks, as regards the merits and demerits of the two harbor sites, Santa Monica and San Pedro. It is plain to any honest person that knows anything about a harbor, or a seafaring life, that San Pedro is the proper site for a harbor. It would take $90,000,000 to build a harbor in Santa Monica, and then it would not be a harbor. Fifteen million dollars will build a very good harbor at San Pedro, the lagoon, from San Pedro to Wilmington, can be excavated, and a fine basin with good wharfs built there.

Witness Berkenhead, opposite Liverpool, Eng., and Hartlepool, Eng.; both these places are very similar to San Pedro; the British government built fine harbors in both places, at the cost, I think, of £3,000,000. Santa Monica is no place for a harbor. I think it would be wasting the public money in trying to build a harbor there; any honest engineer will acknowledge this fact. Many civil engineers don't know all concerning harbors, and some local editors know as much about a harbor as a Pawnee Indian knows about a table of logarithms. The anchorage at Santa Monica is not safe for vessels, while the anchorage at San Pedro is good holding ground, and safe to anchor in.

When the late Admiral A. Ludlow Case, U.S.N., visited this section in the year 1885, I accompanied him on a tour along the coast. He said that next to San Diego, the San Pedro site was the only place in Southern California for a harbor. Admiral Case was a sailor, a navigator and a good civil engineer. I spent twenty-five years of my life on the ocean, and I have anchored in most of the great harbors of the world, and many of the smaller ones, and I truthfully state, that San Pedro far excels Santa Monica for a harbor site. Very truly

A SAILOR.

PERSONALS.

A Hamburger of San Francisco is staying at the Nadeau.

Otis Fellows of New York is registered at the Hollenbeck.

Mrs. Nettie Howell has returned from the Santa Barbara Flower Festival.

Dr. and Mrs. Chat C. Wadsworth of San Francisco are guests at the Westminster.

Mrs. Clifford B. Wood of Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, is registered at the Hollenbeck.

Frank A. Kimball, the well-known olive-grower of National City, is staying at the Hollenbeck.

Mrs. J. B. Schlund, Miss Schlund and Miss J. Schlund of Buffalo, N. Y., are staying at the Westminster.

A. Roncovieri, the leader of the American concert Band of San Francisco, is staying at the Nadeau.

Maj. G. W. Hooper, the proprietor of the Lick House, San Francisco, accompanied by his wife, is a guest at the Westminster.

Mrs. Elise Schucking and daughter of San Francisco, sister and niece of Mayor Sutro, have taken apartments at Hotel Baltimore for the fiesta.

R. Bosserman and wife, Chicago; J. H. Williamson and wife, Muncie, Ind.; R. S. Brown, Peoria, Ill.; G. A. Brown, San Francisco, Mrs. S. S. Lane and daughter, Chicago, are at the Ramona.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

A Daily Resume of Events for Your Scrap Book.

On April 19 of the years named occurred the following important events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.
Saints Ursmar, Elphege, Leo IX.

BIRTHS.
1721—Roger Sherman, Newton, Mass.
1757—Edward Pellew, Viscount Exmouth.

DEATHS.
1390—Robert II of Scotland.
1560—Philip Melancthon, coadjutor of Luther.
1608—Thomas Sackville, Earl of Dorset, Lord Treasurer of England.
1689—Queen Christina of Sweden.
1707—Jean Galois, French critic.
1824—George, Lord Byron.
1844—John Carne, writer.
1872—R. A. Westmacott, sculptor, England.
1881—Benjamin Disraeli, Earl of Beaconsfield.
1882—Dr. Charles R. Darwin, scientist.
1885—John N. Whitney, New York.
1887—Rear Admiral Bonet, French navy.
1887—Alex. Mitchell, railway magnate, New York.
1888—A. S. Abell, founder of Baltimore Sun.
1892—George Gray, Lawyer, New York.
1895—Charles W. Knox, New York.

OTHER EVENTS.
1529—Protestants' term came from protest to decrees of Diet of Spires.
1775—Battle of Lexington, Mass.
1831—Cabinet of Washington dissolved.
1861—Sixth Regiment of Massachusetts attacked by mob at Baltimore.
1861—Franklin Buchanan of Maryland, captain U.S.N., resigned.
1867—Cretan victory over Turks at Heraclion.
1880—Independence of Albania proclaimed.
1882—MacLean, who attempted to shoot Queen Victoria, declared "not guilty," on the ground of insanity.
1883—Attempt to blow up London Times office.
1889—President Harrison signed the bill placing Gen. J. C. Fremont on retired list.
1892—$500,000 fire at Kenosha, Wis.
1892—Bering Sea modus vivendi adopted in United States Senate.
1893—Staten Island Dyeing House in New York burned; loss, $150,000.
1892—Seven shocks of earthquake in one day in Central California.
1893—Fire destroyed five-story wire tower in Worcester, Mass.
1893—Steamer Nellie Bly exploded, Winneman, Ind.
1893—Marriage of Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria and Princess Marie Louise.
1894—South Carolina Dispensary law declared unconstitutional by State Superior Court.
1894—Duke of Hesse married Princess Victoria of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha.
1895—Union League Club members strongly opposed Charities Bill, New York.

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THE WEATHER.

DAILY BULLETINS.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, April 18.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.04; at 5 p.m., 29.97. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 44 deg. and 58 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 70; 5 p.m., 51. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 5 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 6 miles. Maximum temperature, 68 deg.; minimum temperature, 43 deg. Character of weather, 5 a.m., clear; 5 p.m., partly cloudy.

Barometer reduced to sea level.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE WEATHER BUREAU. Reports received at Los Angeles, Cal., on April 18. GEORGE E. FRANKLIN, Observer. Observations taken at all stations at 8 p.m., 75th meridian time.

Place of Observation.	Bar.	Ther.
Los Angeles, partly cloudy	29.96	58
San Diego, cloudy	29.96	56
San Luis Obispo, cloudy	30.02	52
Fresno, cloudy	29.92	60
San Francisco, cloudy	29.96	50
Eureka, partly cloudy	30.02	44
Portland, partly cloudy	29.84	46

The Times

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Southern California is getting ample railway facilities for local traffic. All that seems to be lacking is the Salt Lake road and the completion of the Surf Line to San Francisco. Speed the day when both will be built!

Nevada has turned out tons of silver and lots of gold, but the newspaper men just now here from the Sagebrush State, are beyond question better than silver or gold. Their earnest efforts in behalf of their loved hills and mesas have been appreciated west of the Sierras, and it is a pleasure to shake hands without reaching over the mountains.

La Fille du Regiment will be a valued recruit for the gallant Seventh. Her first appearance at La Fiesta will add much to the interest with which the military part of the parade will be regarded. The National Guards will doubtless march more proudly with the pony and his fair rider at the head of the column with the colonel and his staff officers. Here's to the health of the new recruit!

Persistant efforts are being made, contrary to all reason, to "bear" the oil market. Every one acquainted with the diminished production of the local field and the comparatively light yield, even of new wells, knows that a drop in the market could be produced only by unfair means. The efforts of speculators who think they can profit more from the misfortunes of others than by enterprise of their own deserve to fail, and will fail ignominiously.

Judge George Puterbaugh of the Superior Court of San Diego county remarked at a McKinley meeting on Friday that he had not indulged in campaign speaking for about twelve years, adding: "The last time I participated in a campaign was in Illinois, and I hollered myself hoarse all through my district trying to apologize for the over-loaded condition of the United States treasury. Now, I don't think that one of the arguments I used then would be in good taste at this time." The Judge is right. The people yearn for a taste of sufficient revenue for the every-day expenses of this government. The humor of Judge Puterbaugh's remark has its grim side. The truth of it is demonstrated by the repeated issues of bonds.

Arizona people can swallow a good many things, but the Phoenix man who was choked to death recently while trying to swallow an orange has himself to blame for not chewing the fruit before trying to get in into his stomach. Chicken bones, corks and toothpicks are prolific causes for choking people, but no true friend of the orange can read calmly the account of the Arizona tragedy without saying a word in defense of the orange. With a view to preventing appendicitis the orange-growers of Southern California offer the world seedless oranges in the form of navels, etc. No doubt this has been the means of saving lives. But if the human family insists upon trying to swallow oranges without chewing it must take the consequences and not blame the fruit.

It is, after all, the results that tell the story in everything connected with human endeavor. "Nothing succeeds like success." And the result of California's fruit output during 1895, is something for the State, both north and south, to be proud of, and to herald to the world repeatedly. The shipments of green and dried fruit for that year amounted to 360,459 tons, of which 156,845 tons were shipped by Southern California. Therefore Southern California, with but 25 per cent. of the population of this commonwealth, shipped 40 per cent. of the fruit raised throughout this great State. With the wine, brandy and vegetables, the year's shipments amounted to 48,871 carloads, or an increase of 5346 carloads over the shipments of 1894. Southern California's showing in the actual accomplishments of this State is something which gives every true son of this sunny southland increased enthusiasm in the upbuilding of the rich section in which he lives.

Stole a Lawn-mower.

W. A. Shepard went walking along Los Angeles street last evening, with a new lawn-mower under his arm. Officer Stephenson arrested Shepard and, on being taken to the Police Station, the prisoner acknowledged that he had stolen the machine, as well as one other, which he had already sold. Shepard was but recently released from jail, where he served a term for petty larceny. He declares he will always rather steal than beg.

A LIVE INVESTMENT.

Owing to the large and growing business in the various departments of the Mt. Lowe Railway, and the necessity of dividing the duties among more parties directly interested, a bond and stock interest to the extent of $50,000 will be sold to one or two parties, preferably those who could give one or more of the departments personal attention. For a statement and interview, call or address T. S. C. Lowe, president, Operahouse Block, Pasadena.

TO CHICAGO IN THREE NIGHTS.

It takes only three nights in a sleeping-car from Los Angeles to Chicago on the Santa Fé route. This for both first and second-class tickets on the Overland Express. The best time on any competing line takes five nights, and some of them longer. Don't waste your time.

Masks for Fiesta.

Buy them early, avoid the rush. Wigs and beards rented. Imperial Hair Bazaar, No. 224 West Second street.

NEVADA NEWSPAPERMEN.

Press Association Makes the Grand Tour of California.

A considerable delegation of newspaper men belonging to the Nevada Press Association, arrived in Southern California Friday afternoon in the private car, Tangier. Yesterday they enjoyed a trip around the Kite-shaped track with tally-ho drives at Redlands and Riverside. Returnig to this city last night, they were the recipients of special attentions from Fred Cooper, manager of the Burbank Theater, and W. T. Carleton and company, occupying seats at the theater during the presentation of the opera "Fra Diavolo," as the distinguished guests of the management. A vote of thanks was adopted by the visitors for such courtesies.

The following comprise the party: Sam Davis and wife, Carson Appeal; C. C. Bragg, Reno Gazette; N. A. Hummel, Wadsworth Dispatch; Mrs. H. H. Hogan, Reno Plaindealer; C. H. Sproule and wife, Elko Free Press; W. W. Booker and nephew, Elko Independent; M. S. Riddle and wife, and G. R. Vardy, Dirth Tidings; E. J. McKinnon and wife, Territorial Enterprise; J. E. Parkinson, Nevada Tribune; J. Olcovich, Carson Weekly; C. W. Patterson, Yerington Rustler; G. M. Smith and wife, and Mrs. Burns, Genoa Courier; R. C. Blossom and sister, Central Nevadan; E. D. Kelly, wife and daughter, and Miss Webster. Mr. Kelly is president of the association, and Mr. Bragg secretary.

A pleasing itineray has been arranged for the "Sagebrush" State journalists. Today they are going to Santa Monica; tomorrow they will visit Pasadena and Mt. Lowe, and Tuesday and Wednesday they will be in Los Angeles. Wednesday night they will leave for the north, if the efforts of their numerous friends and acquaintances to induce them to tarry through La Fiesta are unsuccessful.

A NEW STOCK BOARD.

Mining and Stock Exchange Now Fully Organized.

The directors of the Los Angeles Mining and Stock Exchange held a meeting yesterday afternoon and elected the following officers for the first year: A. H. Judson, president; J. A. Fairchild, vice-president; H. M. Russell, treasurer; Los Angeles National Bank, depositary; F. J. Cooper, secretary.

The exchange starts out with a membership of 100, and the main purpose of the organization is to advance the legitimate mining interests of the Southwest, maintaining also a stock board for the calling and listing of all stocks and bonds duly approved by the Listing Committee and a bureau of mining information where all mining news will be kept on file as also the daily quotations of mining and other stocks from all parts of the country, and to have in its rooms a fine exhibit of minerals from this portion of the country.

The storeroom in the Seymour building, at No. 318 West Second street, has been secured and it is expected to have an opening of the exchange by May 1.

On Monday evening, April 27, a meeting of the members of the exchange will be held, when all arrangements for a formal opening will be completed.

The board of directors will use every effort to further only legitimate properties and in carrying out this intention it is hoped to make the exchange an institution assisting greatly in furthering the fame of Los Angeles.

FIRE IN A BIG BLOCK.

Porter's Room in the Stowell Block Burnt Out.

There was a fire in the Stowell block at No. 226 South Spring street, at 6:20 o'clock last evening, which caused much excitement for a little while.

J. J. Bassett and Dr. Watrous have rooms together in room 26 on the third floor of the Stowell Block. At 5:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon Mr. Bassett heard a noise in the porter's room, next door, but thought nothing of it. Half an hour later Dr. Watrous came in and exclaimed that he smelled fire. The two men burst into the porter's room and found it full of smoke and flame. Dr. Watrous ran to the Police Station and told a policeman to turn in an alarm. He neglected to tell where the fire was, so the engines went first to the corner of Second and Spring streets and the firemen were forced to waste precious time asking where the fire was.

A chemical engine extinguished the blaze when not more than $100 damage had been done. The floor was burned through, the doors were charred and the plaster broken off the walls. A five-gallon can of gasoline had been standing in the room, but some one with lots of presence of mind carried it out before the blaze had gained much headway.

GETTING READY FOR BUSINESS.

A Meeting of Sixth Ward Republicans Last Evening.

The Sixth Ward Republican Club met last evening in Foresters' Hall, on the corner of Main and Fifteenth streets. C. L. Strange occupied the chair, F. W. Stein was the secretary of the meeting and many of the prominent Republicans of the Sixth Ward were present.

It was decided after some discussion to hold the caucus one week from Monday next. Discussion as to the precincts followed, and the voting of party members was arranged. Twenty-four names were added to the roll of the club, making 130 members altogether. Various matters of routine business were attended to, and several speakers addressed the gathering.

Judge Lucien Shaw of the Superior Court made a few remarks, and was followed by Col. Gibson, Dr. Cutler and H. C. Register of the Fourth Ward. Mr. Van Norman described life in the Southern States, making his remarks applicable to the present issues, and M. A. Dickman spoke on the subjects of the day in a pleasant, chatty manner that drew forth a storm of applause from the meeting. Music was furnished by F. C. Gustro, who played several excellent piano solos.

On motion it was decided that the next meeting would be at the call of the president, and the club then adjourned.

Music at the Park.

The programme of the band concert to be given this afternoon at Westlake Park will be:

March, "Merry Gleaners" (Max Vogt.)
Overture, "Der Tambour der Garde" (Titl.)
Waltz, "Les Sirenes" (Waldteufel.)
Fantasia "Traumbilder" (Lunibye.)
Selection from "Carmen" (Bizet.)
"Presidential Polonaise" (Sousa.)
Overture, "Raymond" (Thomas.)
Selection, "Ruddygore" (Sullivan.)
"A Day in Our Garrison" (Oechlse.)
Gavotte, "Forget-me-not" (Giese.)

RONCOVIERI'S BAND AT REDONDO BEACH

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Never were styles more numerous or beautiful. No matter what material your gowns are made of, we can give you a Parasol or Sun Umbrella to exactly harmonize with it, so great is our Spring assortment. We mention a few popular styles:

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Beautiful line of Novelty Parasols, Dresden and Persian effects, as low as....... $3.50

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50 Gloria Silk Shades, Silk lined, at each....... 75c
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100 Fiesta Sateen Covered Seat Cushions, for use at Grand Stands, at....... 35c
50-inch Chenille Portieres, heavily fringed and bordered....... $3.75
50 Patterns Bagdad Price Goods, for Lounge Covers and Floor Cushions, at, a yard....... 75c
Chang Yang Silk Draperies, in deft blue designs, 32 inches wide, Fringes to match, a yard....... 50c
Louis XIV Effects in Portiere Materials, 50 inches wide, per yard....... 75c
Ruffled Swiss, per yard....... 20c
Bagdad Portieres, fringed and bordered, pair....... $4.00
18-inch Ruffled Pillows, each....... 50c

NOTICE.—To afford our nearly 200 employes the opportunity to enter into the enjoyments of Fiesta week our store will close on Wednesday, April 22, at 2 p.m., for the day, and on Saturday, April 25, it will be closed at 12 o'clock, noon, and remain closed until the usual hour on Monday morning.

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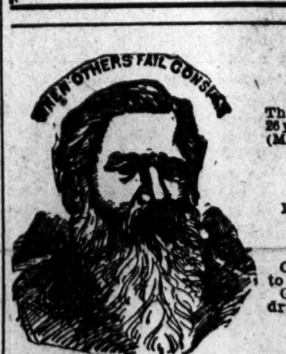

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California Olives, per qt....... 13c
Terry's M and J Coffee, per lb....... 29c
15c Can Finnan Haddie....... 5c
Comb Honey, per frame....... 10c
Large Cluster Raisins, per lb....... 5c
Fancy Mixed Candy, per lb....... 10c
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Silk Waists to go with them. Bought for Fiesta week, $5, $6, $7, $8.

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THE STORY is told of a certain famous musician, a violin wizard of almost a hundred years ago, while playing one day before the Queen and her court, purposely broke all the strings but one of his magic fiddle. THEN out from that solitary string he drew such marvelous melody that ROYALTY was fairly entranced. THAT FIDDLE is synonymous with the different departments of our house. BREAK any ELEVEN of the twelve departments of this store, carry them away, banish, sink, forget all but the one solitary section, and more merchandising, much more "Price Melody" will come out of that one than many pretentious merchants get out of the entire double octaves of their stocks. Piling up great advertising superlatives about this matchless stock would be an insult to your intelligence. We Tell You Here the simple story of a few of the items in the plainest language at our command.

Domestics, Sheetings.

Windsor Cottelli, a beautiful wash fabric in Persian and Dresden effects, 30 inches wide, just the thing for shirt waists; worth 25c; selling at **15c**

A line of "Beatrix Silk Stripes," a new thing in wash goods, in Venetian designs; a beautiful thing to look at and a rich article for dress, worth 30c; selling at **20c**

This advertisement means a bargain, a new and elegant line of medium-priced printed organdies and dimities in dark and light colorings; all new designs, 33 inches wide; selling at **12½c**

Victoria Lawns 500 pieces plain white, good quality, wide and free from starch, worth 10c yard; selling at **5c**

Bleached 8-4 Sheeting Think of this price, and if you need sheets in the next year, better buy them, full 2 yards wide, equal to Pequot; no starch and worth 20c; selling at, per yard, **17c**

Silks, Silks.

Plaid Taffetas All silk, satin bar, and all the latest colorings, an extra good quality, worth $1.25, price for Fiesta week, only **$1.00**

A Few pieces left of those 21-inch, all-silk brocaded Taffetas, for waists, good colors and positively all silk; regular 75c quality; price for Fiesta week only **48c**

Royal Satin plain black, 22 inch wide, very high lustre and the best value we have yet offered. Do you want a handsome skirt? Price for Fiesta week only **75c**

Peau de Soie Silk black ground, with small, colored figures, the most popular silk in the market, regular $1.50 quality and is cheap; price for Fiesta week only **98c**

Linens, Towels, etc.

There are 50 dozen of these Towels and there will be no more of them as they are the windup of several lots; large size Linen Huck, regular price was $1.65; this week, per dozen **$1.25**

We would say to you who have ever attended our Linen sales, that this bargain is ahead of them all; half-bleached Genese Loom Damask, 60 inches wide, always sold at 65c, this week **40c**

Have just received 35 pieces genuine Turkey Red Damask, 62 inches wide, warranted fast color, pretty patterns and every yard is worth 40c; this week only **25c**

3000 yards, 120 pieces strictly pure linen kitchen crash, very wide and worth anywhere from 10 to 12½c; we propose to sell this lot this week at only, per yard **6c**

Huck Towels again, a big bargain and extra large size 22x40 inches, over a yard long, the regular price of these is $3 per dozen; this week they go at per dozen **$2.25**

Hosiery.

H O S I E R Y

Ladies' Hermsdorf Black Cotton Hose extra superior quality warranted two thread, out sizes **25c**

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, high spliced heel, double soles, Maco feet, guaranteed stainless; 3 pair for **$1.00**

Ladies' Opera Length Hose warranted absolutely fast black, extra wide thigh, worth 50c; our price only **25c**

Boys' Bicycle Hose, fast black, guaranteed stainless, extra fine quality; only **20c**

At 75c Satin Soliel, black, an elegant plain goods, and one that will wear to your entire satisfaction. This line usually sold at $1, but this week's price is **75c**

At $1.25 Brocade Sicillian, 5 pieces very handsome fine finish and luster that excels any silk, nothing better in high-grade goods for a street skirt or suit; this week's price is **$1.25**

At 35c We have a few pieces of Brocaded Mohair, which have been selling at 50c that we intend to close out during fiesta week, they're a beauty; better come early; this week only **35c**

At 75c Ask to see the Oatmeal Crepe, a novelty in black goods, extra fine fabric, good width and stylish; selling at **75c**

At $1.25 Mohair Brecades, Novelties, and many of these have a surface of dull black Damask-like pattern, and above this dullness gleams out cut dashes of gloss, charming to the eye, **$1.25**

At 50c "Wheel Wear." Anything less than perfection we do not offer in this goods; "Wheel wear" Serge for cycle and golf costumes is par excellence. 48 in. wide, all wool, worth 75c; this week only **50c**

W A I S T S

There is not a suspicion of uncertainty regarding the popularity of Shirt Waists. We are fixed for it, having recruited an army of them in all styles, sizes, shades and prices.

50c Waists, made of standard waist percale, in a large assortment of beautiful patterns, 3-ply collars and cuffs, and sleeves bigger than ever.

Don't forget that while we have the best line of Laundered Waists in the market, that we also have a remarkable and altogther-worthy-of-attention line of Silk Waists in all the latest weaves in silk fabrics and pattern styles, $3.00 to $7.50.

Parasols Our line is the most complete in colored, white and black, plain white China silk, at $1.25; brocaded satin, $1.50; China silk, one ruffle, $2; China silk with chiffon ruffle. **$2.50**

The very latest in Children's Bonnets for summer and spring, both silk and mull, a nice silk embroidered, lace trimmed cap, worth 50c, selling at only **25c**

Notions, Gloves, etc.

Dress Shields, good quality, regular size, extra value at 10c, are impervious to perspiration, selling at.......5c pair
Baby Velvet Ribbon, special line received full pieces, only.......10c
Cabinet Hair Pins, good quality, assorted sizes, regular 5c, selling.......2 for 5c
Curling Irons, good quality, sold everywhere at 5c, selling at.......3c
Plaited Chiffon, 4 in. wide, regular price 25c yd., all colors, selling at.......12½c
Hose Supporters, Ladies', Lindsay clasp with belt, regular 25c, selling at.......15c
Buckles, special value, white metal, worth 25c, selling at.......15c
Windsor Ties, latest plaids and stripes, selling at.......25c
Belts, extra heavy Canvas Belts, blue, white, black, selling at.......5c
Silk Mitts, pure silk, all sizes, perfect fitting.......25c
Silk Mitts, extra heavy pure silk, regular 75c grade.......50c
Kid Gloves at $1, finely assorted line all sizes and colors.......$1.00
Handkerchiefs a job, extra value, fancy embroidered, value 15c, selling.......5c
Handkerchiefs, Manufacturer's stock of slightly damaged Swiss embroidered, none of them sold for less than 50c, examine them, only.......20c

Colored Dress Goods.

10 pieces Cream All-wool French Serge, 38 inches wide, regular price 40c; special price **25c**

10 pieces of 38-inch wide fine Henriettas, cream, light and dark shades, regular 40c; special price **25c**

25 pieces of fine Mohair you should not overlook; they are new and stylish and the colors are perfect, full 40 inches wide, regular 65c quality; special price **50c**

15 pieces Mohairs, but this time they are plain colors with neat dots and splashes, which, when made up, have the appearance of silk, 40 inches wide, worth 85c, special price **65c**

8 pieces Black and White Checks, size 4x4, 6x6, 8x8, are all wool, 40 inches wide and worth every yard 75c, special price **50c**

Ladies' Combination Suits, low neck and low sleeves, Jersey ribbed, finished with ribbon around neck and arms; good value at 75c; selling at **50c**

Ladies' white wool vests, low neck, no sleeves, summer weight, all sizes, very fine; selling at **75c**

100 dozen Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests, low neck, sleeveless, in pink, blue, ecru, all sizes, good value 25c; selling at **15c**

Just received 20 dozen children's gingham sun bonnets, dark blue and brown checks and light blue and pink percales; only **25c**

Ladies' Gingham Sun Bonnets, blue and brown checked ginghams, nicely made, well trimmed; selling at **40c**

We are selling some very pretty embroidery this week at 5c, 6½c and 7½c per yard; just what you want for the new sailor collars so much worn.

LOST AND FOUND.

CRAIGIE GORDON'S BRILLIANT SCHEME TO BENEFIT MANKIND.

Self-appointed Waifmaster-General, He Proposes to Establish a System by Which All Things Lost May Be Discovered.

The days of magic are past, and necromancy is no more, but now and again a brilliant idea shines through the dullness of conservatism like a searchlight through a fog, and mankind, astounded by the classic simplicity of some great invention, scrubs up its lethargic wits and mutters, "Why didn't I think of that before?"

Such an idea is that which found lodgment in the brain-pan of Craigie Gordon, some twenty-five years ago, and he is still struggling to impress its feasiblity upon society at large, and to procure its adoption and nurture by the powers and principalities which rule the nation in this year of grace, 1896.

Mr. Gordon's idea is certainly extensive enough to feel cramped in any ordinary cranium, for it aims at nothing less than the finding of everything in the world that is lost. To effect this, Mr. Gordon has officially appointed himself Waifmaster-General of the United States, with the privilege of naming his own subordinates and paying his own salary. When he gets his system into working order, which he confidently hopes to do within a short time, Mr. Gordon proposes to establish his general office in Washington, with branches in the principal cities of each State, and a network which shall take in every postoffice in the country, by establishing waif offices as a species of annex to the postal system.

The scheme is philanthropic in its scope, aiming, as it does, to be of inestimable value in restoring the lost valuables of the entire community; but its inventor being a canny Scot, it has also its practical side, which leans toward the gathering in of shekels in moderate quantities. The system is based upon the postal service, in that a 20-cent stamp is attached to each description of an article lost or found. If John Jones should be so unfortunate as to lose his dog, he could easily recover him by writing to the local waifmaster a full description of the animal upon a postal reply card, to which is attached a 20-cent waif stamp. The waifmaster skirmishes about among the articles found by other people and deposited with him, and if the dog turns up in the shuffle, he is at once restored to the sorrowing owner. The same happy result ensues if a description has been sent in which matches the dog, for this serves to locate his present address, and leads to his recovery as surely as though he were actually turned over to the waifmaster.

If neither dog nor description is to be found, the local waifmaster affixes another 20-cent waif stamp to the description, at Mr. Jones's expense, and mails it to one of the State offices, where the second search is instituted, all the descriptions of canine wanderers found in general circulation being compared with the description of Mr. Jones's dog. If one matches, it is at once transferred to the reply card, and forwarded to Mr. Jones, who is thus enabled to ascertain the exact portion of the country at which the animal has been located.

In case his wanderings have been more extensive than the limits of the State, still another 20-cent stamp is affixed to the description and it is sent on the Waifmaster-General at Washington, who goes over the United States with a fine-tooth comb until he restores Mr. Jones's dog to the bosom of its family.

The same rule applies to anything that is losable. A runaway husband could be overhauled with neatness and dispatch, and sent back to his deserted spouse at a total expense of only 60 cents, at the utmost; a lost baby could be easily taken care of in the foundling annex that would be a necessary adjunct to every waif-office, and defaulting cashiers would not stand the ghost of a show against the shower of description-cards issued to all the local waifmasters. The restoration of a reputation accidentally lost or mislaid would only cost a few waif stamps, and the offices would be beseiged by inventors and newspaper men searching for ideas which have apparently vanished into the limbo of nothingness from whence they came.

Altogether, the brain reels at the stupendous possibilities suggested by Mr. Gordon's plan, and if humanity could only be brought to a clear view of what it is missing, the waif-office system would be established at once.

After twenty-five years of fruitless effort to get his system adopted by the United States government, Mr. Gordon has decided to take the initial steps himself. He feels sure that the government will take it off his hands as soon as it is in running order, but experience has taught him not to put his trust in prominent men until after he has demonstrated the success of his project. When he first conceived the idea, twenty-six years ago, he was in Manchester, Eng. He at once communicated his plan to John Bright, but was told that it would take at least twenty years to get a new idea drilled through the national skull. As his knowledge of the great and glorious Anglo-Saxon race taught him that this statement was an incontrovertible truth, Mr. Gordon betook himself to America in 1869. Here he presented his scheme to William Lloyd Garrison, Horace Greeley and several other noted men, but for some inexplicable reason, they failed to take it up in any practical way, and it thus became lost to the world until lately, when it found itself again by the application of its own infallible methods.

Mr. Gordon is going to canvass the State thoroughly and establish a general waifery in San Francisco, and one in Los Angeles, with local offices in every small town. If the people fail to take it up, he will abandon the hope he has cherished of making America the pioneer of this system which is destined to be world-wide, and take his discovery over to France, where he is quite sure the government will jump at it.

MRS. BOOTH-TUCKER.

The New Leader Welcomed by Salvation Army Soldiers.

Commissioner Mrs. Booth-Tucker, the new leader of the Salvation Army in the United States, was given a reception by the local army corps at Music Hall last evening. Mrs. Tucker is the oldest daughter of Gen. Booth, and with her husband was appointed to succeed the rebellious Ballington, her brother, as commander of the army forces in America. She is accompanied on her tour of the country by Maj. Alice Lewis and Maj. Welan, who assisted her last evening in responding to the welcome accorded the party.

The audience, which was a trifle slim as to size, made up by enthusiasm what it lacked in numbers. The usual army cheers and "amens" were trebled in volume, as the visitors addressed the soldiers, appealing to every possible motive that might by its operation tend to keep the Salvation Army what it has been and is. Mrs. Booth-Tucker is a pleasant-faced woman of middle age, wears glasses, and her speech has a pronounced English accent that becomes very much in evidence when she is borne away by the subject treated of in her remarks. She spoke of the Salvation Army as a world-wide movement, not an English affair, but a truly cosmopolitan organization. She deprecated any adherence to mere human leaders, and after an eloquent review of the army's work and its spread in America, pleaded with the Southern California soldiery to abide by the methods and continue loyal to those who represented all that has made of the army what it now is. She eulogized the "general," her father, as a man whose "heart is in the hollow of God's hand," and declared that always his plans were made and carried out with a view solely to producing the best results for God's glory and man's best good. Mrs. Booth-Tucker will address the army and the public this afternoon at the army hall.

ORATORICAL CONTEST.

Members of the High School Lyceum Struggle for Honors.

A spirited contest for oratorical honors took place at the Y.M.C.A. auditorium last evening before a very large audience, between four members of the Los Angeles High School Lyceum, the largest lyceum in the United States. The orators of the occasion were Lamar Harris, Charles Seyler, Jr., E. Childs Baxter and Paul G. Clark. An introductory address was made by Gen. A. B. Campbell.

Charles Seyler spoke on "International Arbitration." Miss Addie Meek contributed a cornet solo, and Lamar Harris followed with an oration having for its subject "Our Nation." In discussion of the tendency to monopoly manifest in the nation's life, the orator adverted to the specimen work of a certain monopoly, which was seeking to divert a Congressional appropriation for a harbor at a place apart from the site favored and demanded by the people. The sentiment was received with tumultous applause by the audience.

E. Childs Baxter discussed in an able oratorical effort the "Liberty of the Press." The quartette of orations was rounded out by that of Paul G. Clark, who spoke of "The American People." The judges were the Rt. Rev. Joseph Johnson, Hon. Waldo M. York and John Shirley Ward. Their decision as rendered gave first honors to Paul G. Clark.

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[RAILROAD RECORD.]

THE VALLEY RATES.

FREIGHT TARIFF TO BE MADE AS LOW AS POSSIBLE.

Costa Rican Railway Enterprise. Branch Road to Congress Mine to Be Constructed—Extending the Covina Loop.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—John Moss, who was recently appointed traffic manager of the San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley Railroad Company, assumed the duties of his new position today. Mr. Moss had a lengthy consultation with Vice-President Watt and a number of the directors today about freight and passenger rates between Stockton and Fresno. He received instructions from the directors to make these rates as low as possible consistent with a fair rate of profit on the cost of the line from Stockton to Fresno.

Vice-President Watt informed him that the cost to the company of the 125 miles of road from Stockton to Fresno, including equipment and construction, would not exceed $2,444,450. He, therefore, as chairman of the board of directors, did not want the freight and passenger tariffs to be figured higher in the aggregate than 5 or 6 per cent. interest per annum on the total cost. The directors of the company will hold a further conference with the trustees of the cash stock subscription fund late next week relative to completing arrangements to float $6,000,000 bonds to finish the proposed Fresno-Bakersfield and Stockton-Oakland extensions.

COSTA RICA RAILROAD.

DENVER (Colo.,) April 18.—William A. Lynn and Francis C. Hatch of New York, Fred C. Gay and Charles A. Marriner of Los Angeles and Charles W. Franklin of Denver today incorporated the Costa Rica Pacific Railroad Company with a capital stock of $1,500,000. The company proposes to construct a railroad from the city of San José, Costa Rica, in a westerly direction to the Pacific Ocean. The incorporation papers give the company the right to operate mines and manufactories, establish town sites, develop the resources of the country, besides the borrowing of money, purchase of other railroads in the vicinity and floating bonds for the payment thereof. Headquarters are to be located in Denver, with branch offices in New York city, Los Angeles, San José and elsewhere.

RAILROAD TO CONGRESS MINE.

PRESCOTT (Ariz.,) April 18.—Arrangements were completed today for building a branch from the main line of the North and South road to the Congress mine. The new road will be about four miles in length, and is built to more readily handle the immense products of that big gold property. The new road will be extended to other mining camps in the near future.

THE COVINA LOOP.

Tomorrow the Southern Pacific Company will commence to operate an additional 2.1 miles of the Covina branch, and will open a station at Lordsburg, with A. R. Peck as agent. This brings the Covina loop within 3.4 miles of Pomona, and work is being pushed steadily toward that city. There will be three trains a day each way for Lordsburg.

Almost Fatal.

(Washington Post.) Two highwaymen made the mistake of trying to rob a member of the Ohio Legislature. However, they managed to escape with their lives.

MASKS. All grotesque styles at the Imperial Hair Bazaar, No. 224 W. Second street.

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A Novel by F. J. Stimson. $1.15.

A Story of Boston in the middle of this century. It is not an historical novel, but reproduces with great fidelity and charm the social atmosphere of the place and time.

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Jacoby Bros. invites you all—Yes! Welcomes, thrice welcomes all mankind within reach of our beautiful store, to feast your eyes upon a still grander scene this year than last. Tomorrow at 1 o'clock, the curtain rises on the scene of grandeur, in our mammoth north show window. Christopher Columbus discovering America wasn't a circumstance to this "The Invasion of the Harbor of Avalon and the Discovery of the Beautiful Island of Santa Catalina by the Brownies." In every detail the scene is true to life and full of animation. The rolling sea and the placid bay—The Steamer Hermosa and the many smaller boats gliding along and guided by real Brownies. The mechanical and electric effects are by our Mr. G. S. Blake; the designs and decorations are by oru Mr. Don M. Brockway and the painting by E. J. Killian. We leave it to you, our dear Public, to sing their praises. For ourselves we can noly say that we have spared no expense to try and please you and extend to you all an invitation to view our store and make yourselves perfectly at home with yours, always striving to please,

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Fiesta Special Sale
Men's Spring Suits.

Such values in cheviots, fancy pin-checks, mixtures and pleasing plaids, spring styles of round-cut single-breasted sacks. They're new, even at "Jacoby Bros.'" Surely surpassing anything we have ever offered at the price. $10.00 values elsewhere. Here during fiesta........ **$6.65**

You may possibly say: "I want a better suit than $8.85." Not so, though, after you've seen these best cheviots in hair-line, pin-check and fancy mixtures in single-breasted sacks, finely-made and trimmed and perfect fitting, for you never bought such under $12.00. Here during fiesta........ **$8.85**

Regardless of what your fancy might be, we can please you and fit you with a thousand and one styles of all-wool cassimeres in stylish checks; steel-mixed and plain-mixed cheviots in single and double-breasted sacks and cutaway frocks. Products of the finest manufacturing tailors. $13 values. Here during fiesta.... **$9.95**

Men's spring suits—Such elegant outfits for men's wear were never thought of in ready-to-wear clothes under $15.00, or tailor-made under $25.00. All-wool cassimeres in very handsome checks, steel-mixed and plain-mixed cheviots, elegantly tailored cutaways and sacks; single and double-breasted. Here during fiesta........ **$10.45**

Fiesta Special Sale.
Boys' Spring Clothing.

If you are already a patron of our boys' department, anything said in praise of our Boys' Clothing would be superfluous. If you are, tell your neighbors about it. We show an elegant line of Double breasted School Suits for boys 4 to 14 years; you judge their values. Fiesta Special Price........ **95c**

Boys' Double-breasted Short-pant Suits (4 to 14 years,) in serviceable black-and-white-mixed-diagonal stripes and dark grays; grades that sell elsewhere for $2, $2.50 and $3; but then Jacoby Bros. are master artists in the purse-protecting line, and offer these at ths Fiesta Special Price........ **$1.45**

Little Boys' Reefers with large sailor collars (4 to 9 years,) in handsome cafe-au-lait and tan mixtures, and good, strong, stout Double-breasted School Suits (4 to 14 years,) Pants with double knees, and, instead of being $3 and $3.50, Jacoby Bros. offer the Fiesta Special Price of........ **$2.00**

Our boys' department is the finest, largest and best-equipped on the Pacific Slope—roomy, airy and well-lighted; a perfect reception parlor, where all you fond mammas can bring your young hopefuls and know you'll be treated right.

Fiesta Special Sale.
Youths' Clothing Items.

We tried to see for how little money we could have a good Long Pant Suit made up for. A suit to suit all purposes; nice fitting, well sewed, fast color goods, single-breasted Sack Suits, black cheviot, 14 to 19 years; our Fiesta Sale Price...... **$5.00**

A line of Steel-gray Cheviot Single-breasted Sack Suits, finished in first-class style and really intended to be sold for $10 the suit, go onsale at the Fiesta Sale Price........ **$6.00**

These long pant suits for all sizes, 14 to 19 years.

No wonder the merchant tailors are complaining. They charge about $15 or more for just such a Youth's Long Pant Single-breasted Sack Suit of gray and tan-mixed cheviots and cassimeres and give the stylish cut and trim as we offer at our Fiesta Sale Price........ **$7.50**

Youths' Single-breasted Sack Suits, long Pants, blue, black, grey, tan and brown mixed imported Cheviots, all sizes, 14 to 19 years, actual value a half more; at the Fiesta Sale price........ **$8.50**

Single and Double-breasted Sack Suits, gray, tan and brown mixtures, fast black and blue all-wool cheviots, stylishly cut and elegantly finished. Equal to a $20 custom-made long pant suit; Fiesta Sale Price.. **$10**

La Fiesta Special Sale,
Spring and Summer Overcoats

The correct Overcoat for up-to-date dressers, blue, tan, brown and gray Kerseys, Cheviots, Covert Cloths and Worsteds, silk linings, etc. Nowheres, anything to compare with these at the Fiesta Sale Price........ **$10.00**

Men's fine Overcoats for Spring wear, tan, brown, gray, blue and black Worsteds, Cheviots, Kerseys and Whipcords, elegantly trimmed and finished in most excellent style; your tailor would charge you no less than $25, yet our Fiesta Sale Price is only........ **$12.50**

Nothing like them shown outside Jacoby Bros.' Mammoth Clothing Emporium at anything like our price. We are leaders in overcoats, the same as in everything we carry. They beggar description, yet you can take your choice for only.... **$15.00**

Children's outre garments, a line of very handsome navy bluo flannel, double-breasted reefer jackets with extra large sailor collar, spring-weight, ages 3 to 8, and only........ **$3.50**

Children's spring weight, double-breasted over-jackets in grey mixed cassimeres, finished with wide black Mohair braid, ages 4 to 10. The most stylish garment in the market; only........ **$4.00**

La Fiesta Special Sale.
Men's Trouser Tributes.

You may not think that there are two legs to these pants or that perhaps something else is wrong with them, judging by the price littleness, but they're all right, in fact, warranted not to rip, good every day pants, hair-line stripes; Fiesta Sale Price........ **$1.00**

Men's durable Pants, they're good pants, sightly pants, grey and tan striped pants, cheviot pants that won't rip and have riveted suspender buttons; they're $2.50 pants going at the Fiesta Sale Price of........ **$1.75**

Society's swell pants, and many a society swell would pant for a pair of them if he only had the price—and it's a small price, too. All-wool, fancy gray, brown and tan hair-line striped cheviots and cassimeres, with reinforced seams and patented riveted buttons; Fiesta Sale Price........ **$2.50**

Men's All-wool Cheviot and Cassimere Dress Trousers in fancy check hair-line stripe in mixed materials of high-grade. Stylish cut and warranted not to rip. Fiesta Sale Price........ **$3.50**

La Fiesta Special Sale.
Men's Furnishing Fixings.

It is interesting and gratifying to note the surprising increase in our Furnishing business caused by the Jacoby Bros.' low prices; Men's fine tan and black Half Hose, absolutely fast and stainless, silk tipped heels and toes, ask to see them, regular 35c qualities; Fiesta Special Price, 6 pairs for........ **$1.00**

Men's all-silk web Suspenders, elastic end, improved patent cast-off, a dozen different patterns, you may buy them as low, but no lower than 75c elsewhere, but Jacoby Bros. attract attention to attractive goods with attractive low prices; Fiesta Special Price........ **50c**

In Men's Neckwear for this week a matchless gathering of 80 dozen (nearly 1000) "Auerbach's" 50c Tecks, in light, medium and dark shades and combinations, at an extraordinary reduction in price; Jacoby Bros. sell for less than other furnishers buy; Fiesta Special Price........ **25c**

Our "Men's Section" shows everything proper in Men's Furnishings, offers more remarkable values than ever, and the littleness of the prices commend themselves to the judgment of all good dressers; very seasonable, summer-weight natural color Merino Underwear, 75c values; Fiesta Special Price........ **50c**

La Fiesta Special Sale
Men's Hat Bargain Snaps.

Hats with us are one item of many, and the many items pay the expenses of our business; this partly explains why we sell such a good hat for such little money. We are sole agents for Young's hats. (None better made.) Exclusive shapes and shades. Not $5.00; for we ask only........ **$3.00**

Men's straw hats—Sennet, Shansi, Canton, Mackinaw and Ventilated Braids—silk trimmed; silk guards, and styles in all dimensions; only........ **75c**

Men's Soft Dress Hats, seal-brown, black and iron-grey; welted brims that have the dressy effect of the derby, regular $2.00 grades and often sold for more elsewhere; but at Jacoby Bros'. only........ **$1.50**

Sombreros and cowboy hats in the best of quality and most fetching in style; the men's are $2.00 each, the ladies' and youths' shapes, though priced the same elsewhere, we say........ **$1.50**

La Fiesta Special Sale.
Labor Union Economies.

The United Garment Workers of America make all of Hamilton Carhartt & Co's. Duck Clothing and you'll find the union label on every garment. We are sole agents for Los Angeles and have in our friendship for the laboring classes, reduced all prices.

The Carhartt Overall and Pantaloon that are warranted to wear and never to tear, and have proven to mankind such a boon, are made of the best quality of soft Denims. Union made, union label, Fiesta sale price........ **50c**

For engineers, painters and plasterers, the workingman and the mechanic, there are no better goods on the market than Hamilton Carhartt & Co's. regulation Bib Overall. White, pin-check and blue; Fiesta sale prices from 95c to........ **70c**

A copy of the conditions under which the United Garment Workers of America make these goods will be found in each garment. We have reduced the prices. Men's Coats in blue, white and fancy duck at Fiesta sale prices, from 85c to........ **65c**

La Fiesta Special Sale.
Long and Short Pants for Boys.

Boys' Durable School Pants—good, strong knees and seat—checks, stripes and plain cheviots and cassimeres—all sizes for good, bad and indifferent boys; for only, per pair........ **25c**

Boys' Knee Pants—the serviceable sorts for school and after-school wear; pretty patteuns in fancy stripes, checks and plain cheviots and cassimeres, double knees and made with the patent elastic waist band; only........ **50c**

Boys' Knee Pants—all wool- extra well made school pants, elastic waist bands and taped seams: an elegant assortment in fancy mixed and striped Cheviots, cassimeres and tweeds made particularly for hard wear and tear; price........ **75c**

Youths' Long Pants—Gray and brown hair-line Cheviots well made, the warranted-not-to-rip sorts, all sizes from 14 to 19, and many will fit many a man; special price........ **$1.50**

Youths' Long Pants—Finest of all-wool fancy brown and gray striped Cheviot Pants that are a marvelous bargain at the price named; no better make made, and none better finished........ **$2.00**

Fiesta Special Sale.
Boys' Fixings.

You won't wonder long why this department is always crowded with buyers. Our supremacy in these lines is very apparent. This week 175 dozen seamless Bicycle Hose, fast black, sizes 6 to 10; Fiesta Sale Price........ **25c**

Prudent Mothers know there's economy in the right sort of Boys' Waists. There's not a better sort than the celebrated "Star" Waists, 85 dozen this week, in fancy striped, checked and figured percales, madras and linens, regular $1 and $1.25; Fiesta Sale Price........ **75c**

Boys' Shirt Waists to wear every day and look like dressed up for Sunday. There's only 25 dozen, bear in mind this quantity won't last long at the "big store:" unlaundred cheviots and percales, reduced from 35c to the Fiesta Sale Price........ **10c**

The Otis Underwear Company make the celebrated "Otis Gusset" in all their garments. We offer a special line this fiesta week in Boys' Summer-weight Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, worth and usually sold at 50c the garment, at the Fiesta Sale Price........ **35c**

We extend a cordial invitation to all, especially our country customers in to enjoy "La Fiesta de Los Angeles," to visit our Boys' Department. The handsomest and largest in the State.

La Fiesta Special Sale.
Boys' Headwear Items.

This department is brim full of sensible hat bargains and sensible hat buyers, too. A good hat to send the lad to school in is a black, white or mixed Canton straw with a roll brim that others ask 35 cents for; our Fiesta Special Price........ **19c**

We've an immense assortment of the nicer kinds of school straws in black and white fancy mixed and in solid blue and black, serviceable, yet stylish shapes; and you'll want to make an early selection at the Fiesta Special Price........ **24c**

Boys' straight brim straw hats in Canton, Needle and Sennet braids; all the latest stylish shapes with hat cord attached; at the Fiesta Special Price........ **50c**

Boys' extra fine quality straight-brim straw hats in plain white Shansi braid with fine silk trimmings; very stylish shapes with hat cord attached; regular value up to $1.25, but our Fiesta Special Price........ **75c**

Children's neat and dressy, wide-brim sailor hats in brown, blue, black white and fancy-mixed Canton braids in stylish spring and summer shapes, silk trimmed; Fiesta Special Price........ **50c**

Fiesta Special Sale,
Dr. Jaeger's Underwear.

This system of Underclothing possesses a particular hygienic property. It is universally recognized as a correctly constructed sanitary garment. We offer a broken line at badly broken prices for the Great Fiesta Sale.

Quality K. K.—The Kaiser medium-weight Normal Undershirts and Drawers for Men—in the following sizes;

Shirts, size 34, regular price $2.50; reduced to........ $1.70
Shirts, size 38, regular price $2.80; reduced to........ $1.90
Shirts, size 46, regular price $3.40; reduced to........ $2.30
Shirts, size 48, regular price $3.55; reduced to........ $2.40
Shirts, size 50, regular price $3.75; reduced to........ $2.50
Drawers, size 30, regular price, $2.60; reduced to........ $1.75
Drawers, size 32, regular price, $2.75; reduced to........ $1.80
Drawers, size 36, regular price, $3.00; reduced to........ $2.00
Drawers, size 40, regular price, $3.20; reduced to........ $2.15
Drawers, size 42, regular price, $3.35; reduced to........ $2.25
Drawers, size 44, regular price, $3.50; reduced to........ $2.35
Drawers, size 46, regular price, $3.70; reduced to........ $2.45
Drawers, size 48, regular price, $3.85; reduced to........ $2.60

We call particular attention to the fact that we also offer all other lines of Dr. Jaeger's Sanitary Clothing at just such reduced prices. We include the Sanitary Hosiery, Sanitary Overshirts, Chestbands and Bandages, and Suspenders and guarantee our prices for these justly celebrated goods to be less by at least one-third than the regular list prices. Price them elsewhere and then investigate ours. These are great bargains.

La Fiesta Special Sale.
In the Men's Shoe Department.

We carry only the makes of the best and most reliable manufacturers—standard goods and latest styles in all widths from the very narrowest to the extra wide and solid comforts.

We will not carry these lines with us when we move into the Shoe Palace, for the lines are broken. They are regular $2.50 B calf shoes in lace and congress, but they go for only........ **$1.50**

Men's Six-dollar Shoes for just one-half. Johnston and Murphy's Black Kangaroo and Sealskin "Nullifiers" that never sold under $6, offered this week because the lines are broken for........ **$3.00**

Johnston & Murphy's Fine Hand-sewed French Calfskin Shoes in broken lines and lines we're going out of, of $6 and $7 qualities, reduced to the astonishing low price for the Fiesta sale........ **$3.00**

Men's $5 Lilly, Brackett & Co.'s Finest Cordovans, the easiest fitting Shoe ever put on a man's foot, a Shoe right in touch with up-to-date spring style, yet the lines are somewhat broken; only........ **$3.00**

Schwab Bros.' "Chicago" make of genuine finest Calfskin Shoes for Men in all the different styles of lasts; reduced especially for this great Fiesta Sale, from $4.50 per pair to........ **$3.00**

Jacoby Bros.

La Fiesta Special Sale
In the Ladies' Shoe Department.

Anyone looking into this department at our store will be immediately convinced that it is the proper place to trade. The vast crowds thronging it and purchasing their footwear is ample proof that our stocks are the largest and our prices satisfactory beyond a shadow of a doubt.

Curtis & Wheeler's Ladies' Shoes are too well known to need any booming, they have always been and always will be good and reliable. We offer for this Fiesta Special Sale all broken lines of $5 and $6 shoes for........ **$3.00**

Laird, Schober & Mitchell's fine Shoes for ladies, cloth-top with hand-welt extension sole in patent-leather tips and opera toes; all the broken lines of $6 footwear for the Fiesta Sale for........ **$3.50**

Curtis & Wheeler's cloth or kid-top Button Boots, hand-turned soles, patent leather vamp, opera and common-sense last, all broken lines reduced from $6 per pair for the Fiesta Sale to........ **$3.00**

Curtis & Wheeler's kid or cloth-top Dongola Kidskin Oxfords, with hand-turned soles, patent leather tips, opera and common-sense lasts; all the broken lines reduced from $4 to, only........ **$2.00**

Ladies' Fine French Calf Patent Leather Oxfords, made by Robitsek of Vienna, hand-turned soles and Louis XV heels, guaranteed regular price, $5?; broken lines reduced to, only........ **$1.50**

Jacoby Bros.

La Fiesta Special Sale,
In the Greatest Shoe Store.

Odds and ends in all sorts and kinds of Children's Spring heel Oxford Ties, some patent leather, some russets and some kidskins; reduced from $1.25 to 75c for sizes from $8\frac{1}{2}$ to 11, and for sizes 5 to 8 from $1 to, per pair........ **50c**

Boys $2 Shoes for $1.10.—M. A. Packard and Hathaway & Co.'s veal-calf Button Shoes, in broken lines of sizes from 2 to 5; reduced from $2 per pair to........ **$1.10**

Youths' $1.75 Shoes for $1.25. Hathaway & Co.'s veal calfskin Lace Shoes, sizes $11\frac{1}{2}$ to 2, with heels; broken lines of $1.75 styles, reduced to, per pair........ **$1.25**

Boys' $2.00 shoes for $1.50—Veal-Calf Lace Shoes, with heels, sizes $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 5, of all broken lines of $2.00 shoes; reduced for this sale to only, per pair........ **$1.50**

Youths' $1.75 shoes for $1.00—All odd lots, odd styles, odd sizes of lace shoes, worth and sold regularly for $1.50 and $1.75 per pair; reduced for this week only to, per pair........ **$1.00**

Jacoby Bros.

La Fiesta Special Sale.
Tennis Footwear Items.

Men's Black Satine Tennis Oxfords, first quality........ 75c
Boys' Black Satine Tennis Oxfords, first quality........ 70c
Misses' Black Satine Tennis Oxfords, first quality........ 65c
Youths' Black Satine Tennis Oxfords, first quality........ 65c
Child's Black Satine Tennis Oxfords, first quality........ 60c

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Men's Russet Satine Tennis Oxfords, first quality........ 75c
Women's Black Satine Tennis Oxfords, first quality........ 70c
Women's Russet Satine Tennis Oxfords, first quality........ 70c
Misses' Russet Satine Tennis Oxfords, first quality........ 65c
Childs' Russet Satine Oxfords, first quality........ 60c

Fiesta Sale Prices.

Men's Black Satine Tennis Oxfords, English sole........ 55c
Boys' Black Satine Tennis Oxfords, English sole........ 50c
Women's Black Satine Tennis Oxfords, English sole........ 50c

Fiesta Sale Prices.

Misses' Black Satine Tennis Oxfords, English sole........ 45c
Youths' Black Satine Tennis Oxfords, English sole........ 45c
Children's Black Satine Tennis Oxfords, English sole........ 40c

Fiesta Sale Prices.

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PASADENA YESTERDAY.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

BRANCH OFFICE OF THE TIMES, No. 47 East Colorado street. Tel. 200. PASADENA, April 18, 1896.

China Hall is closing out specials daily.

Buy your candies at McCament's. They are home-made.

See Rose's views of Pasadena and vicinity before buying. No. 33 West Colorado street.

For sale—Four per cent. government bonds, new issue, at First National Bank, Pasadena.

For sale—At half price, horse, two-seated, top surrey, and harness, a big bargain; horse afraid of nothing. No. 516 North Marengo avenue.

For rent—Cottage, seven rooms, nicely furnished, piano, barn, use of hose, all for $12 a month. C. E. Dunshee, real estate agent, Lamanda Park.

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Dr. and Mrs. Rigg returned yesterday from Catalina.

Mrs. H. W. Hines is entertaining Mrs. J. Ross Rahm of Towanda, Pa.

George L. Brockway, a prominent manufacturer of New Orleans, is at the Carlton.

The Misses McClintock of Altadena entertain this evening with a musical from 5 until 9.

"Capt. Impudenoe," Milton Royle's new play, will be given at the opera-house Monday evening.

The Twilight Club has issued invitations for the banquet "ladies' night" April 28 at Hotel Green.

The Young Ladies' Riding Club was entertained yesterday afternon by the Misses Tilden of Orange Grove avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hildreth, Mr. and Mrs. William Bert, Mrs. Percy L. Shuman of Chicago are registered at Hotel Greeen.

Dr. C. A. Briggs received word this afternoon on the death of his brother, O. H. Briggs, Williamstown, Vt. Mr. Briggs's death was very sudden, the result of a stroke of apoplexy.

Col. Rockwood and family, who have been at the Spaulding during the winter, left today for the North, and thence eastward for their home at Buffalo, N. Y. Col. Rockwood contemplates returning next winter.

J. H. Woodworth received the sad news today of the death of his father, Horatio Woodworth of Williamsfield, O. Mr. Woodworth spent three winters in Pasadena and had a large circle of acquaintances here. Mrs. D. Young of Marengo and Illinois street, is his daughter.

THE LUTZ RECEPTION.

A Delightful Social Function in Pasadena.

One of the most delightful receptions ever given in Pasadena took place Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lutz on Orange Grove avenue. The house was exquisitely decorated; the porches were inclosed with canvas, thus adding to the already spacious accommodation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lutz were assisted in receiving by the Misses Lutz. Mrs. Lutz was elegantly attired in black satin and point lace. Miss Lutz was gowned in light yellow satin and gauze with epaulettes of violets, and Miss Pauline in white mull and Valenciennes. Over 400 invitations were extended, the reception both in size and elegance surpassing any entertainment of the winter.

The drawing-room was exquisitely decorated in La Marque roses, and maidenhair ferns, as well as rare tropical plants. The spacious reception hall was beautified with marguerites, acacias and palms. The library was decorated in red roses, and the dining-room was beautiful in La France roses and sweet peas. This color was beautifully carried out in all the points of decoration. The brilliant light was softened by dainty tissue-paper shades, perfect representations of La France roses, adding exquisite tints.

The center-table was artistically decorated; great banks of roses and wide pink satin ribbons added to the display of glittering cut-glass and silver. The candelabra and fairy lamps added to the lovely effect. The entire room did justice to the Crown City of flowers. Music was furnished by a stringed orchestra, and after the reception proper a large number of the young people remained, and dancing was indulged in. In both the library and dining-room an elaborate collation was served. The affair will be long remembered as one of the most enjoyable receptions ever given in Pasadena.

The young ladies assisting were the Misses McClintock, Dodworth, Lilly Dodworth, Fife, Church, Green, Pearl Libby, Mrs. H. C. Brown and the Misses Watson.

Among the invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Delos Arnold, Ralph Arnold, Mrs. Silas Alward, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Andrews, Dr. F. S. Abbott, Mrs. Bateman, Mrs. Joseph H. Blackfan, Miss Josephine Blackfan, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ball, Miss Ball, Dr. and Mrs. H. N. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beck, Dr. and Mrs. Norman Bridge, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Bolt, Miss Bolt, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Heroert Cutter Brown, Mrs. Frank S. Brown, Miss Brown, Mrs. S. H. Baker, Mrs. Emma C. Bangs, Mrs. M. C. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Cristy, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Coleman, Mrs. Rowena P. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Conger, Mrs. M. Cloud, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Croft, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Church, the Misses Church, Mrs. Elizabeth G. Cushing, Mrs. A. Cruickshank, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Daggett, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Childs, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Cattern, Prof. C. N. Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Claypool, Mrs. Henry A. Dreer, Miss Dreer, Miss Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. Allen R. Dodworth, the Misses Dodworth, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Durand, Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Frary, Miss Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. Ed L. Farris, Rev. and Mrs. N. H. G. Fife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Gardner, the Misses Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sherman Glasscock, Mrs. H. M. Gabriel, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Green, Miss Green, Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Greene, Charles Sumner Greene, Harry M. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. John Gilder, Mrs. J. R. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Hallett, Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hamilton, Mrs. Cotton, the Misses Hall, Mrs. Julia Grigg, Merrill Grigg, Mr. and Mrs. Gwyer, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Holme, Miss Mary Holme, Mrs. Lamotte Holmes, Miss Hodge, Dr. J. S. Hodge, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hodge, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hill, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hadley, Miss Ida Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Julius A. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Johnson, Miss Katherine N. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kayser, Mrs. M. R. Kater, William W. Leithead, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leithead, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Libby, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Libby, Jr., the Misses Libby, Prof. and Mrs. T. S. C. Lowe, Miss Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Lukens, Dr. and Mrs. Lyman, the Misses Lyman, Mrs. H. W. Lancey, Mr. and Mrs. Leon P. Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus Lowe, the Misses Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. C. Marble, Miss Marble, Mrs. H. B. Manford, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. May, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley V. Martin, Dr. and Mrs. H. K. Macomber, Rev. and Mrs. A. Moss Merwin, Miss Merwin, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Metcalfe, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Merrill, Samuel Merrill, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Morehouse, Robert Marsh, Mrs. Mattis, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McNally, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Washington McClintock, the Misses McClintock, Mrs. Alexander McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newton, Miss May T. Newton, Mrs. J. E. Niblock. Fred Niblock, the Misses Orton, Dr. and Mrs. B. M. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Parkman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Putman, Mr. and Mrs. George Fenton Randall, Prof. Frank Polley, Miss Ethel Randall, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Reynolds, Robert Reynolds, Miss Harriet A. Reynolds, Mrs. Simeon G. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Rogers, Miss Rogers, Clifford Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Roberts, Miss Roberts, Dr. J. M. Radebaugh, Dr. H. H. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. M. Rosenbaum, Mr. and Mrs. Robert I. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Roraback, Charles P. Roraback, Harry W. Rhodes, Dr. and Mrs. Ward B. Rowland, Mrs. Edith Rand, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Radford, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram M. Staats, Mr. and Mrs. William Stanton, Mrs. Sylvester S. Stevens, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Sherk, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Smith, Theodore A. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Stimson, Mrs. Stimson, Mrs. Alexander Stowell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Scoville, Mrs. Scoville, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Stuart, Mrs. J. B. Stewart, Miss Katherine H. Scudder, Dr. James H. Shultz, Miss Elizabeth A. Sanborn, Miss Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Butler Tallmadge, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Talcott, Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Torrance, Mrs. Mary C. Torrance, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Turnbull, Dr. and Mrs. Edward W. Taylor, Mrs. Anthony Taylor, the Misses Taylor, Mrs. Torrey, Dr. and Mrs. Thaddeus B. Up de Graff, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Vandevort, Miss Visscher, A. C. Vroman, Mrs. Valkmer, Mrs. Pliny Watson, the Misses Watson, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wilde, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Woodbury, Mrs. Corinne E. Wood, Miss Wood, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wood, Guy Wood, the Misses Wood, A. Watters, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Wetherby, Mr. and Mrs. Winch, Mr. and Mrs. William Waterhouse, Miss Mamie Young, Miss Frances Winch.

Lively Work on the Trolley Line.

The officers of the Pasadena and Pacific Company say they are under obligations (presumably to the Southern Pacific and to Prof. Lowe,) to complete the track to the Southern Pacific depot before Monday, which explains the action in rushing in the poles between Fair Oaks and Broadway. The understanding has been that no poles should be erected on Colorado street in the business section, but that all wires should be attached to the buildings, as was done on Raymond avenue. There would be a general protest should the poles be permanent deformities in the main thoroughfare, but under the present circumstances there are no such expressions. Work will be necessary both night and day until Monday to complete the pole-raising and wire-stringing. The Altadena cars will run as far as Broadway as their southern terminus, thus avoiding the Bellevue Drive loop.

Drama at the High School.

"Silas Marner" was given to a crowded house by the pupils of eleventh year at Wilson High School last evening. The play was very nicely rendered, although a lack of practice was evident, some of the participants needing prompting. The cast was Silas Marner, William Wood; Squire Cass, Bernard Bowron; Godfrey Cass, Harvey Randall; Dunstan Cass, Fred Brown; Dr. Kimble, Robert Allen; Mr. Crackenthorp, Wendell B. Taylor; Mr. Snell, Fred Brown; Jim Rodney, Solomon, the fiddler, Charles Gowan; Mr. Macey, Arthur Gould; Dowlas, Newton Cox; Ben Winthrop, Glenn Allen; Tokey, John Kelso; Bob Lundy, Arthur Williams; the Butler, Lloyd Macy; Aaron, Mont Bufkin; Eppie, Julia Ogden; Nancy Lammeter, Helen Moore; Priscilla Lammeter, Lillian Fawcett; Mrs. Kimble, Georgia Holman; Mrs. Crackenthorp, Mary Ratcliff; Miss Keziah Gunn, Grace Magee; Miss Arabella Gunn, Grace Tower; Miss Jerusha Gunn, Helen Flynn; Mrs. Osgood, Margaret Hand; Miss Osgood, Ella Kelso; Miss Ladbrook, Lizzie Weingarth.

The music was furnished by the Throop Orchestra, who rendered several fine selections.

The C. E. Literary Reunion.

Dr. Hull gave a most lucid description of the X ray at the C. E. literary reunion at the Presbyterian Church on Friday evening. A large audience was present, who followed every detail of this interesting discovery, entering heartily into the discussion which followed. Blackboard illustration and the requisite apparatus were used in the demonstration of the present and future use of the X ray, and all pronounced the evening both enjoyable and profitable.

MOUNT LOWE.

ECHO MOUNTAIN, April 18.—(Regular Correspondence.) Observation of Dr. Swift's newly-discovered comet were taken by the doctor last night. It is increasing in brightness, notwithstanding the increasing moonlight. Its course is almost due north, which makes the work of determining its orbit difficult. As yet no one knows what comet it is. Observations of this comet were made last night at the Hamilton Observatory.

Gov. Budd and party arrived this evening. The Governor takes great interest in astronomical subjects, and will undoubtedly take a look at the comet. He will remain here over Sunday and probably return during the week.

Among today's guests are Edward Swartz and wife, Sacramento; I. N. Walker and wife, Indianapolis, Ind.; H. S. Detrick, wife and daughter, Chicago; Lewis Fourier, Portland, Or.; C. E. Begelow, Santa Barbara; Mrs. J. E. Aull, Mrs. F. O. Haskell, Mrs. Little Schieck, Los Angeles; H. C. Bishop and wife, Chicago; James G. Clark, Pasadena, Mrs. J. E. Schield, Chicago; Miss Lena Bach, Cleveland.

DR. SWIFT'S COMET.

ECHO MOUNTAIN, April 18.—Swift's comet is getting brighter, and will pass at right hand side of Pleides tomorrow night. It can be seen with small telescopes and field-glasse. It was visible with a portion of the Pleides in the field of the finder tonight. Motion almost exactly north.

Hope She Likes Him.

(St. Louis Chronicle:) Of all glad words of tongue or pen, the saddest are these: "I've got you, Ben."

BURIAL OF MR. SHORB.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD AT SAN GABRIEL MISSION.

Exquisite Floral Emblems Heaped Around the Casket—A Notable Gathering of Prominent People and Friends of the Dead Pioneer.

The funeral of Hon. J. de Barth Shorb Saturday morning at the San Gabriel Mission, was the largest held in that historic church for twenty years. Preliminary services were held at the house, the cortege then proceeding to the mission, where high mass was celebrated by Bishop Montgomery, asisted by Fathers Adam, Meyer and three associates. The Sisters' choir of Ramona College, founded by Mr. Shorb, rendered most beautifully the Gregory mass. The casket was placed at the foot of the chancel steps, on either side rows of lighted candles, emblems of faith.

Exquisite floral emblems covered the casket, at the head of which was placed the "Gates Ajar." The altar and pulpit steps were decorated with callas and palms. Crepe and white ribbons were twined around the candles and across the altar. Bishop Montgomery preached an eloquent sermon upon the immortality of the soul and the resurrection of the body, at the close of which a feeling tribute was paid to the deceased.

The bishop spoke of his first acquaintance with a brother of Mr. Shorb in the Maryland town where they were both brought up, and his later acquaintance with the deceased, during his last illness. Although not customary to pronounce eulogies at a Catholic church, the bishop referred to the reverence, respect, and regard felt for the family in their native town, as well as the superior qualities of Mr. Shorb, stating that he was a good father, devoted husband, good neighbor and citizen. He spoke most touchingly of the beauty and simplicity of his faith, and the preparation of his soul to go before God, naming the fine qualities of his character as the fruits of faith.

Throughout the discourse was most impressive and listened to by many of the old settlers of the county who attended the funeral in great number.

The pall-bearers were Judge E. M. Ross, Col. George H. Smith, J. M. Elliott, Col. H. G. Otis, William Pridham, A. Glassell J. A. Graves, Mr. Eldridge and J. A. Muir of Los Angeles, and J. C. Kirkpatrick of San Francisco.

The remains were interred in the Mission Cemetery.

Among those present at the funeral were Ex-Governor H. H. Markham, Mr. Early, Mr. Greely, Mr. Titus and Mr. Wiley of Pasadena, Capt. Banning, J. M. Griffin, W. Broderick, Wesley Clark, Harris Newmark and wife, W. Graves, Mr. Loeb of Los Angeles, and Mr. Fleming, County Treasurer, W. Mullock, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bichowsky, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chapman, Mr. Titus and Mr. and Mrs. William Stevens of San Gabriel; Mr. and Mrs. Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. Heckman, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Loeb of Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Carter and Palmer T. Reed of Sierra Madre; Mr. and Mrs. Gervaise Purcell, San Gabriel; the Sisters and pupils of the Convent of the Holy Name at Shorb's Station; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sheller, Mrs. Fortune, Mrs. Worthington, Miss Carrie Ross and Miss Ross of Shorb's; Andrew Glassell, Jr., H. W. Hellman, Mr. and Mrs Eldridge, Mr and Mrs. Hancock Banning, Miss Ida Banning, Mrs. Banning, Mrs. Alexander, Miss Ruth Childs, Stephen Childs, Dan Richards and J. Ferguson of Los Angeles; Fred Eastman, Mr. Besonett, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Elliott, Mr. Page and Mr. Bishop, Alhambra; the Sisters of Charity from Los Angeles Sister Scholastica; H. C. Durand, Mr. Hugus, T. Early, Mr. and Mrs. J. Craig, J. Crank and Mrs. William Allen of Pasadena; T. J. Fleming, Harrington Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Pridham and Mrs. E. M. Ross of Los Angeles; Rev. Charles Loop of Pomona; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gray, Mr. and Mrs. F. Q. Story, George Rice, and George Rice, Jr., of Alhambra; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harris, Monrovia; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hannon, El Monte; and the following relatives: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Patton, Miss Wilson, Mrs. B. D. Wilson, E. L. Wotkyns, Mrs. Wotkyns, Miss Stone, Mrs. Cooper, J. A. Cooper, Tom Cooper, J. M. Tiernan, Edith Shorb, Ethel Shorb, Donald Shorb, Dr. J. de Barth Shorb, Mrs. Dr. J. de Barth Shorb, J. Campbell Shorb.

License for Selling Produce.

A subscriber at San Dimas writes to ask whether a non-resident of Los Angeles who brings country produce not raised by him into Los Angeles and sells the same from house to house is required by the city government to pay a license fee, and if so how much.

A license of $5 a month, dated from the first of each month, is charged for such business. Following is the section of city ordinance No. 2232, which covers the case.

"Sec. 33. For every peddler of goods, wares, merchandise, or vegetables, $5.00 per month, provided that each of such peddlers of goods, wares, merchandise or vegetables, shall have their wagons, carts, baskets or receptacles used for the conveyance of such goods, wares, merchandise or vegetables, designated by number to be furnished by the city clerk, which number shall be placed by such person upon said wagons, carts, baskets or receptacles so used, in such a manner as to be open to the public gaze and inspection.

"For each person running a cart, dray, wagon or vehicle used for the delivery of freight or goods in the city for hire, $3.00 for each cart, dray, wagon or vehicle per quarter, payable quarterly in advance, provided each of said carts, drays, wagons or vehicles so used shall be designated by number to be furnished by the city clerk, which number shall be placed by such person upon such vehicle in such a manner that such number shall be plainly distinguished whether said vehicle is in motion or not.

"Provided, that no vehicle used by merchants, dealers or manufacturers exclusively for the delivery of their wares to customers shall be subject to a license as in this section provided."

Could Stand Another

A Senator's wife, who is an accomplished musician, gave a dinner party at Washington recently. Among the guests was a certain member of the Kentucky delegation in Congress. While awaiting the announcement of dinner, at the urgent request of some of the guests, the hostess played and sang. She had just finished a polonaise by Chopin, which was greeted by a burst of applause, and as she rose from the piano, in the silence which followed the sweet strains, her husband turned to the gentleman from the bluegrass State with: "Would you like a sonata before dinner, colonel?" "Well, I don't mind," promptly replied the Kentucky statesman, bracing up quickly. "I had two on my way here, but I reckon I can stand another."

Get the Navy.

(Chicago Tribune:) Uncle Sam can't run around with a chip on his shoulder unless he has a navy to back it. No ships, no chips.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, April 18, 1896.

LOS ANGELES BANK CLEARANCES. The report of the Los Angeles clearing-house for the week ended today noon shows an important increase over the corresponding week of last year. The figures are as follows: Exchanges, $1,174,521,491; balances, $132,489.19, as against $967,044.45, and $220,578.40 for the corresponding week of last year. This shows an increase of nearly 22 per cent.

MONEY MARKET. Bankers' report business brisk, money easy and in good demand. The ruling rates are 8 per cent. on commercial paper, and 7 per cent. on mortgages.

THE SPANISH DEBT. The Los Angeles Investor publishes, in its last issue, a compilation showing the total bonded indebtedness of Spain to be $1,074,515,625. That is a pretty heavy load to carry, when it is remembered that the population of Spain is only about one-third that of the United States.

COMMERCIAL.

WOOL MARKET. Eastern advices note a dull market and, to quote from Dun's Review, the sales are the smallest for many years, at the three chief markets only 2,232,600 pounds, and a month ago when they were about 3,300,000 pounds, they were the smallest in any week for five years. Boston sales are said to be about the smallest in the whole history of that market. Except for fine wool, prices are tending downward, and manufacturers are curtailing production. The clothing trade is stagnant, and while foreign prices are far above the domestic there is practically no demand for wool. In six weeks, sales at the three markets have been 17,559,550 pounds, against 31,551,500 last year, and 20,949,376 in 1892.

CALIFORNIA BEANS HIGHER. The possibility of a short crop, due to a dry season, has had the effect of stiffening prices of all kinds of California beans in the eastern markets. The Philadelphia Grocery World says:

"Information was received by a prominent Philadelphia broker during the week which seems to indicate a very small crop of California lima beans this year. The letters received stated that the expected rain, which is necessary to the crop, had not yet materialized, and gave no evidence of intending to. Added to the absence of rain, there had been hot winds, which had played havoc with the crop. The rainy season should have begun about two months ago. But the supply of rain which has fallen so far has been extremely light. As a result of this information, the market is strengthening, and higher prices may be expected soon unless a copious rain sets in immediately, although even this can scarcely make good the damage. There is no large surplus of last year's crop of beans, as the consumption is enormous, and the available supply is rapidly going into consumption. The market in New York marrow beans is also becoming much firmer, especially in this market, where large stocks have reduced prices below the market. The advance so far amounts to only about 5 cents per bushel, but will probably induce still higher prices."

DRIED AND CANNED FRUIT. The unsatisfactory condition of the canned fruit market has been the subject of continued comment in all parts of the country. The Los Angeles Commercial Bulletin, in its last issue, throws light on the subject, making it clearer why the market is so demoralized. It says:

"The canned-fruit market for the past five years has been in a very unsatisfactory condition in all parts of the United States. The reasons given are over-production and poor goods. In the present conditions of the fruit trade these two reasons are sufficient to kill the canned-fruit industry. Fruit put up in tins in their own juices, with a little sugar added, is a luxury and not a staple. The staple food of the country in cured fruits is that dried by artificial processes. A two-pound can of fruit contains not much more than a net pound of fruit, or at most, a pound and a half. If of the best quality, it will cost at retail at least 25 cents a can. Six pounds of peaches or apricots and three pounds of prunes or grapes will make a pound of dried fruit. In the evaporating process only the water is taken out, and this is returned when the fruit is cooked. A pound so treated will make full three pounds of food. The cost will be 5 cents for prunes or loose raisins, and 12½ to 20 cents for peaches and apricots. If the fruit is thoroughly soaked until it has absorbed as much water as it lost in drying it will be very tender and palatable. So dried fruit is the staple, and canned fruit must come under the head of a luxury. Where fifty families will buy dried fruit, because it 'goes so much further,' one will buy canned fruit. This one is willing to pay a high price for what he wants, but he is very fastidious as to quality. Hereafter, then, the fruit-canner who wishes to sell his goods and get his money back must be very particular about the sort of fruit he puts in his cans and about the way that the fruit is handled."

INCORPORATIONS. The Foster & Bashford Hardware Company filed articles of incorporation yesterday. It will transact business in Los Angeles, and is capitalized at $50,000, in shares of $500 each. The directors are: G. S. Foster, C. A. Bashford, W. A. Russell, J. S. Johnson and Amy Stuart Foster, all of Los Angeles. The directors are the only stockholders, G. S. Foster taking ninety-nine shares, C. A. Bashford, 123; W. A. Russell, 20; J. S. Johnson, 20, and Amy Stuart Foster, 1, $26,380 being actually subscribed.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Wholesale Quotations Revised Daily.

LOS ANGELES, April 18, 1896.

There were practically no changes noted in the market today. Business is expected to open briskly Monday.

(The following quotations are for average grades of the products mentioned. For an extra choice article a somewhat better price than the highest quoted can usually be obtained, while for a product of decidedly inferior quality the seller will probably have to accept less than the lowest published quotation.)

Provisions.

Hams—Per lb. Rex, 11¼; Eagle, 9½; picnic, 6½; boneless, 9½; boneless butts, 9; selected "mild cure," 9½.

Bacon—Fancy Rex, boneless, 13½; Rex, boneless breakfast, 10½; Diamond C, breakfast backs, 8; medium, 6@8.

Dry Salt Pork—Per lb., clear bellies, 8; short clears, 6¾; clear backs, 6.

Dried Beef—Sets, 10; insides and knuckles, 11½; regular, 9.

Pickled Pork—Per half-bbl., 80 lbs., 6.00.

Lard—Rex Pure Leaf, tierces, 6½; kettle, rendered, 50s, 7½; Ivory lard compound, 5¾; Rexolene, 6½; White Label lard, 10s, 7½.

Hay and Grain.

Wheat—1.10@1.20.

Oats—1.25@1.50.

Barley—Seed, 70@75; imported, 75.

Corn—Small yellow, 95; large yellow, 90; cracked, 95; white, 90.

Feed Meal—Per ctl., 1.00.

Hay—New stock: Good oat, 10.00; best oat, 10.00@11.00; alfalfa, native, 8.00; barley, 8.00@11.00; wheat, 10.00@11.00; wheat and oat, 10.00.

Eggs.

Eggs—California ranch, 14@15.

Dried Fruits.

Apples—Per lb., 4@5; evaporated, 6@7.

Apricots—10@12.

Peaches—Per lb., 3½@4.

Prunes—Per lb., 4@8.

Raisins—Per lb., 1½@3½.

Dates—Per lb., new, 5½@6.

Butter.

Butter—Fancy local creamery, 32½@35; extra fine, 35@37½; fancy Coast, 30@34; dairy, 2 lbs., 25@30; 28-oz., 22½@25; other grades, 20.

Hides and Wool.

Hides—As they run, 11; kip, 9; calf, 15; bulls and stags, 6; sheep pelts, according to quality and condition, 2½@5.

Wool—2½@4.

Dried Products.

Beans—Lady Washington, 1.75@1.85; navy, 2.00@2.10; pinks, 1.45@1.50; Limas, 2.90@3.25; black-eyed, 2.00@2.25; peas, 3.50.

Green Fruits.

Oranges — Valencias and Mediterranean sweets, 1.25@1.50; choice seedlings, 90@1.25; navels, 2.25@2.75.

Grape Fruit—85@1.40.

Lemons—Per box, cured, Eurekas and Lisbons, 1.50@2.00; uncured, fancy, 1.25@1.50.

Apples—1.75@2.25 per box; fancy, 2.50.

Bananas—1.75@2.25.

Strawberries—6.

Vegetables.

Asparagus—7@8.

Celery—60.

Beans—8.

Peas—3½.

Beets—Per 100 lbs., 90@95.

Cabbage—Per 100 lbs., 80@1.00.

Chiles—Dry, per string, 75; Mexican, per lb., 15; green, 18.

Garlic—7½.

Onions—2.00@2.50.

Parsnips—Per 100 lbs., 85.

Potatoes—Per 100 lbs., local, 80@90 per sack; Oregon, 90; Nevadas, 1.00@1.15; sweet, 2.00@2.25; new, 2.25@2.50.

Turnips—Per sack, 75.

Tomatoes—1.65.

Radishes—20.

Spinach—20.

Cauliflower—60.

Rhubarb—1.25.

Artichokes—25@35.

Squash—Summer, 1.00.

Fresh Meats.

Butchers' prices for wholesale carcasses:

Beef—Prime, 5@5½.

Veal—5@7.

Mutton—Ewes, 4; wethers, 4½; lambs, 6@7.

Dressed Hogs—5½@6.

Live Stock.

Hogs—Per cwt., 3.75.

Beef Cattle—Per cwt., 2.50@2.75.

Lambs—Per head, 1.50@1.75.

Sheep—Per cwt., 2.00@2.50.

Poultry.

Hens—4.25@4.75; young roosters, 5.50; old roosters, 4.00; broilers, 3.25@3.75; ducks, 5.00@6.00; turkeys, 13@15.

Honey and Beeswax.

Honey—Extracted, new, 4@5.

Beeswax—Per lb., 20@22.

Millstuffs.

Flour—Per bbl., Los Angeles, 4.00; other brands, 3.30@3.60; Stockton, 4.55; graham, 1.90.

Bran—Per ton, local, 17.00; northern, 17.00@18.00.

Shorts—Per ton, 19.00.

Rolled Barley—Per ton, 14.00@15.00.

Rolled Oats—Per bbl., 4.50@4.75.

Rolled Wheat—3.00.

Cheese.

Cheese—Southern California, large, 12½; Young America, 13½; hand, 14½; Eastern cheddars and twins, 12½; brick creams, 12@13; fancy Northern, 10@12; fair Northern, 8@10; Limburger, 14@15; American Swiss, 14@16; imported Swiss, 24.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Shares and Money.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

NEW YORK, April 18.—Speculation today centered in the industrial shares, covering of shorts being the chief motive power. Only two stocks, Sugar and Tobacco, reached noteworthy activity. The dullness in the regular railway list can be figured from the fact that St. Paul was most active in the group with only 3400 shares. Advances were scored in the industrials as a result of the covering of shorts referred to. Sugar was the pivotal stock, and also led the entire market in point of activity. Inside purchasers started a rush by the bears with the effect of causing a 2-per cent. advance. Despite the dullness in the railroad list, the Grangers, Missouri Pacific and Kansas and Texas preferred gained sharp fractions, and other important shares improved slightly. The close was moderately active, with prices ruling at the top. The movement of the stock market during the past week has in the main been encouraging to the owners and holders of securities. The continued and increasing ease of money, the more seasonable weather, the complete subsidence of apprehension of a revival of gold exports upon an extensive scale, more favorable advices regarding the crop indications and fairly satisfactory returns of railroad earnings have all contributed toward a more cheerful speculative sentiment. Officials of the great standard railway systems say that while the work of seeding has been delayed by copious rains in the great crop-producing sections of the country, that conditions are very much more favorable than if early seeding had been general, and the soil had lacked the necessary moisture. The heavy and almost unprecedented glut of money in London encourages expectations of increased purchases of our securities in the near future. Buying for this account during the week included the Atchison and Northern Pacific issues. The advance in prices culminated on Thursday, and in the ensuing days a general moderate reactionary movement occurred, due chiefly to realization of profits. The upward movement, however, was resumed on Saturday, when covering of shorts again advanced prices, and the closing was about the top level. Sugar was the main feature of the speculation, and advanced 3⅛ per cent. to 125⅞. Subsequently profit-taking caused a reaction to 123, but the stock left off at 125½. Settlements between the Northern Pacific managers and the Chicago and Northern Pacific interests, and between the St. Louis and San Francisco, and Atchison interests regarding matters at issue, and the publication of reorganization plan of the St. Louis and San Francisco require mention. The aggregate sales were 970,941 shares. Trading in bonds today footed up $909,000, an unusually large total for a Saturday. The market was firm and slight gains were noted in some cases. The market during the week ruled higher and was favorably affected by foreign purchases and by a good local investment. The sales were $10,370,000.

Atchison	16¼	Com. Cable Co.	158
Adams Express	149	Am. Sugar pfd.	102⅝
Alton, T. H.	58	N. W. pfd.	146
Am. Express	113	N. Y. Central	96½
Baltimore & O.	18½	N. Y. & N. E.	48
Can. Pacific	58⅞	Ontario & W.	15⅛
Can. South	49½	Oregon Imp	1
Cen. Pacific	15⅛	Oregon Nav	20
Ches. & Ohio	16⅝	Pacific Mail	27¼
Chicago Alton	154	P. D. & E.	2
C. B. & Q.	79	Pittsburgh	160
Chicago Gas	68⅞	Pull. Palace	159
Con. Gas	160½	Reading	12¼
C. C. C. & St. L.	35	U. S. Rubber	26¼
Colo. Coal & I.	2	U. S. R. pfd.	85¼
Cot. Oil Cer.	13⅝	R. G. W.	18
Del. Hudson	127	R. G. W. pfd.	45
D. L. & W.	159	Rock Island	71⅝
D. & R. G.	12	St. Paul	76⅝
D. & R. G. pfd.	47⅝	St. Paul pfd.	126½
Distillers	18⅛	St. Paul & O.	39⅝
Erie 2d pfd	23	St. P. & O. pfd.	122
Erie	15	Southern Pac	19½
Erie pfd	40	Sugar Refinery	125¼
Fort Wayne	160	Tenn. Coal & I.	30⅛
Great N. pfd.	111	Texas Pacific	8⅛
C. & E. Ill. pfd.	99	T. & O. C. pfd.	73
Hocking Val	16½	Union Pacific	8⅝
Illinois Cen	95½	U. S. Express	40
St. Paul & D.	24	W. St. L. & P.	7
K. & T. pfd.	27⅝	Wabash pfd	18⅝
L. E. & W.	18	Wells-Fargo	99
L. E. & W. pfd.	70	W. Union	84½
Lake Shore	147½	W. & L. E.	9⅝
Lead Trust	27⅝	W. & L. E. pfd.	34⅝
Louis. & Nash.	51½	Minn. & St. L.	19½
Louis. & N. A.	8½	Gen. Electric	33¼
Man. Con	100⅛	Nat'l Linseed	18
Memphis & C.	15	Colo. Fuel & I.	30⅝
Mich. Central	95	C. F. & I. pfd.	100
Mo. Pacific	26½	H. & T. C.	2½
Mobile & Ohio	22	T. St. L. & K. C.	5
Nash. Chatt	68	T. St. L. pfd.	10
Nat'l Cord	4⅞	So. R. R.	9⅝
Nat'l Cord. pfd.	9	So. R. R. pfd.	30⅝
N. J. Central	106½	Am. Tobacco	70⅝
N. & W. pfd.	5½	Am. T. pfd.	95
North Am. Co.	5⅝	Am. T. & C. Co.	93½
North Pac	1½	U. S. Cord. gtd.	18⅝
North Pac. pfd.	18½	U. S. L. pfd.	61½
U. P., D. & G.	3½		

Bond list.

U. S. n. 4s reg.	116⅝	C. P. 1sts, '95	100½
U. S. n. 4s coup.	117⅝	D. & R. G. 7s	114
U. S. 5s reg.	112⅝	D. & R. G. 4s	88½
U. S. 5s coup.	112⅝	Erie 2ds	66½
U. S. 4s reg.	108⅝	G. H. & S. A. 6s	104⅝
U. S. 4s coup.	109½	G. H. & S. A. 7s	100
U. S. 2s reg.	95	H. & T. C. 5s	108
Pacific 6s, '95	103	H. & T. C. 6s	100
Ala., class A	110	M. K. T. 1st 4s	85¼
Ala., class B	106	M. K. T. 2d 4s	59
Ala., class C	101	Mutual U. 6s	114
Ala. Cur	100	N. J. C. G. 5s	118¼
La. N. C. 4s	98⅝	N. P. 1sts	115
Missouri 6s	100	N. P. 2ds	112
N. C. 6s	124	N. W. Con.	139½
N. C. 4s	115	N. W. S. F. 5s	111
S. C. non-fund.	¼	R. G. W. 1sts	75⅝
Tenn. n. s. 6s	85	St. P. Con. 7s	128
Tenn. n. s. 5s	108	St. P., C. & P.	114
Tenn. old 6s	*60	St. L. & I. M. 5s	77½
Va. Cen	60½	St. L. & S. F. 6s	108
Va. Cen. dfd.	4⅝	T. P. 1sts	89½
Atchison 4s	79½	T. P. 2ds	23½
Atchison 2d A.	45⅝	U. P. 1sts, '96	105¼
Can. So. 2ds	104½	West Shore 4s	106¼
So. R. R. 5s	92⅝	O., R. & N. 1sts	110
L. & N. 4s	78	N. P. 3ds	75

*Bid.

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	9	Gould & Curry	24
Alpha Con	8	Hale & Nor	1 25
Andes	27	Julia	4
Belcher	43	Justice	3
Best & Belcher	50	Mexican	35
Bodie Con	45	Mono	11
Bullion	12	Occidental Con	1 20
Bulwer Con	40	Ophir	1 15
Caledonia	3	Overman	9
Challenge Con	22	Potosi	23
Chollar	41	Savage	27
Con. Cal. & Va.	1 65	Scorpion	2
Con. Imperial	1	Sierra Nevada	60
Con. New York	—	Union Con	51
Crown Point	32	Utah Con	3
Exchequer	3	Yellow Jacket	32

New York Money.

NEW YORK, April 18.—Money on call easy at 2½@3 per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 5@6 per cent.; sterling exchange, dull, but steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.88½@4.88¾ for demand and 4.87¾@4.88 for sixty days; posted rates, 4.88½@4.89 and 4.89½@4.90; commercial bills, 4.87; Mexican dollars, 54.

New York Financial Market.

NEW YORK, April 18.—The New York Financier says this week that the statement of the associated banks of New York city for the week ending April 18, shows net receipts of currency during the week from the interior were lighter than had been estimated. The actual net increase in the cash holdings in the banks only amount to $434,500, and as $1,000,000 was sent abroad, it is evident that the week's receipts from domestic sources can barely have exceeded $1,000,000. In general business circles the week indicated a gain, although not as perceptibly at eastern cities as west of the Mississippi Valley. In that section, and also in Baltimore and Pittsburgh, there has been extensive retail buying, and this naturally resulted in a better demand at wholesale. The general tone of the financial week, however, indicates that there is no abatement in the almost universal disposition to deal with unusual conservatism and not to anticipate future wants. The fact, however, that the country bank clearings for the week are 6 per cent. greater than the preceding one, and 5½ per cent. larger than the same week a year ago, is evidently of a slow, but general increasing volume of trade. Should out-of-town remittances to New York reach any very considerable magnitude, it is likely to result in the Secretary of the Treasury calling upon the depository banks to turn over further installments of the $12,650,000, which they still hold beyond account. The depository banks originally held $31,700,000 and should the remaining $12,000,000 be called for, it would naturally stiffen the money market and lessen gold shipments. In the week's currency movement the shipments from the West have been heavy and had undoubtedly an offset in remittances of this city's funds against New England discounts. Manufacturing interests are responsible for this demand, which has played a part in the apparent more liberal discounting of commercial paper.

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, April 18.—The weekly bank statement shows: Reserve, increase, $208,100; loans, increase, $67,400; specie, decrease, $205,666; legal-tenders, increase, $640,100; deposits, increase, $905,600; circulation, increase, $10,600. The banks hold $18,139,350 in excess of requirements.

Exports and Imports.

NEW YORK, April 18.—The exports of specie for the week from the port of New York, amounted to $1,027,600 in gold and $880,000 in silver. The imports were: Gold, $37,244; silver, $55,710; dry goods, $2,035,924; general merchandise, $7,877,907

Petroleum.

NEW YORK, April 18.—Petroleum, dull. United 1.21.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

Grain and Produce.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

CHICAGO, April 18.—The very favorable weather now prevailing, and prospects for the next few days had much to do with the weakness of wheat at the opening and during the forenoon. Crop reports, also, covering the period since the close of the previous month, gave a good account of the progress made by the wheat plant since it came under the influence of growing weather. Added to the favorable crop news was the unsympathetic tone of foreign markets to yesterday's advance here. The public cablegram quoted spot wheat in Liverpool unchanged, and futures ¼d higher. One of the weak features of the day's statistical news was that no wheat cleared from New York in the last twenty-four hours. The visible supply statement on Monday has possibilities of a comparatively heavy decrease, and from 1,000,000 bushels upward was the generally expressed expectation of it. The backward state of spring wheat seeding in the Northwest was again a matter of frequent comment, but the extra moisture, which is the present chief barrier to the rapid completion of seeding, was generally conceded more than ample compensation for two weeks' delay in getting the seed in. Corn suffered from the weakness of the wheat market and the generally favorable outlook for the planting time. For a Saturday oats were quiet, the offerings and sympathy with wheat made the feeling easier. The provision market started firm, but very soon weakened, getting into line with the tendency of the grain markets.

The leading futures closed as follows:

	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2	
April	65⅝
May	65⅝
July	67
Corn, No. 2—	
April	29⅞
May	30⅛
July	31⅛
Oats, No. 2—	
May	19⅝
July	20⅛
September	20⅝@20½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was nominal; No. 2 spring wheat, 65⅝; No. 3 spring wheat, 65@65½; No. 2 red, 68⅝@70; No. 2 corn, 30¼@30⅜; No. 2 oats, 19⅝; No. 2 white, 19¾@20; No. 3 white, 19¼@20¼; No. 2 rye, 17½; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3, —; No. 4, —; No. 1 flax seed, 91½; prime timothy seed, 3.30; mess pork, per bbl., 8.60@8.65; lard, per 100 lbs., 4.90@4.92½; short ribs, sides (loose,) 4.35@4.40; dry salted shoulders (boxed,) 4¼@4⅜; short clear sides (boxed,) 4½@4⅝; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal., 1.22.

Grain Movements.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	7,000	11,000
Wheat, bushels	14,000	536,000
Corn, "	113,000	1,740,000
Oats, "	186,000	291,000
Rye, "		1,000
Barley, "	19,000	11,000

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady. Creamery, 11@15; dairy, 9@13. Eggs were firm at 8@10.

Chicago Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, April 18.—Dressed beef was firmer and shippers have been very good buyers at 3.20@4.40 for common to prime steers; milkers and springers, $20@$40 per head. For hogs, the demand was sufficient to consume the limited offerings. Packing lots largely at 3.65; medium weights up to 3.85; heavy, 3.00@3.40; light hogs, 3.60@4.00. Sheep, trade was moderately animated at the decline of 25@40 cents this week Sheep, 2.75@3.50 for poor to extra, largely at 3.00@3.50 and lambs bringing 3.75@4.50.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, April 18.—Spot wheat closed firm, with a moderate demand; No. 2, red winter, 5s 8d; No. 2, red spring, stocks exhausted; No. 1, hard Manitoba, 5s 8d; No. 1, California, 5s 7d. Futures closed dull, with near and distant positions ¼d higher. April, 5s 6¾d; May, June, July and August, 5s 7d; September, 5s 7¼d. Spot closed firm; American mixed, new, 3s 3. Futures closed firm with April ¼d lower, and other months unchanged. April, 3s 1¾d; June, 3s 2d; July, 3s 2½d; August, 3s 3d; September, 3s 3½d. Flour closed steady, with a moderate demand; St. Louis fancy winter, 7s 6d. Pacific Coast hops at London, £1 15s.

Boston Stock Markets.

BOSTON, April 18.—Atchison, 16¼; Bell Telephone, 204½; Burlington, 79; Mexican, 10¼; San Diego, 10.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, April 18.—Cattle, receipts, 1800; shipments, 2000 The market was steady. Beef steers, 3.00@3.40; native cows, 1.75@3.30; stockers and feeders, 3.00@3.85.

London Silver.

LONDON, April 18.—Silver, 31d; consols, 112½.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Today's statements of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $270,143,056; gold reserve, $126,915,145.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—Wheat, inactive; December, 1.08⅝; May, 1.05⅝; barley, inactive; December 71¼; corn, 87½; bran, 15.00.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Grain and Produce.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Flour—Family extras, 3.75@3.85; bakers' extras, 3.55@3.65; superfine, 2.85@3.00.

Wheat—No. 1 shipping, 1.08⅝; choice, 1.11¼; milling, 1.17½@1.22½.

Barley—Feed, fair to good, 70@71¼; choice, 72¼@75; brewing, 80@86¼.

Oats—Milling, 75@82½; Surprise, 90@1.00; fancy feed, 82½@87½; good to choice, 75@80; poor to fair, 67½@72½; black, for seed, nominal; gray, 72½@80; red, for seed, nominal.

Middlings—17.50@18.50; bran, 14.50@15.00.

Hay—Wheat, 8.00@11.50; wheat and oat, 7.50@10.50; oat, 7.50@10.00; alfalfa, 7.00@9.00; barley, 7.00@9.00; clover, 6.00@8.00; compressed, 7.50@10.50; stock, 6.00@7.50; straw, 15@55.

Potatoes—River Burbanks, 25@35; Oregon Burbanks, 35@70; Early Rose, 30@40; new potatoes, 75@1.00; sweet potatoes, Merced, 2.50@2.75.

Onions—Oregon, 1.75@2.00; California, 60@75.

Various — Los Angeles tomatoes, 1.50@1.75; string beans, 10@11; green peas, 2@2½; cabbage, —; garlic, 4@5; green peppers, 20@25; dried peppers, 10; mushrooms, 12½@15; asparagus, 1.25@2.50; choice, 2.25@2.50; dried okra, 12½@15; rhubarb, 35@65; cucumbers, 50@1.00; egg plant, 10@12½; summer squash, 8@10.

Fresh fruit—No. 1 apples, 1.50@2.50; Longworth strawberries, 6@9; common, 4@6.

Citrus fruits—Mexican limes, 5.50@6.00; California lemons, 75@1.25; choice, 1.50@2.50; fancy, 2.25@2.50; California seedling oranges, 1.00@1.50; navels, 1.75@2.75; fancy, 3.00@3.50; Mediterranean sweets, 1.50@2.00; Malta bloods, 2.00@3.00; St. Michaels, 2.50@3.00.

Tropical fruits—Hawaiian bananas, 1.00@2.00; Persian dates, 4½@5.

Dairy products—Butter, fancy creamery, 14@14½; seconds, 13@13½; fancy dairy, 12½; seconds, 12½.

Cheese—Fancy mild, new, 9; fair to good, 7@8; Young America, 9@10; eastern, 12@14.

Eggs—Store, 13½; ranch, 14@15; duck eggs, 12@16.

Poultry—Turkey gobblers, 13@15; hens, 13@15; roosters, old, 4.00@4.50; young, 6.50@7.50; small broilers, 2.50@4.00; large, 5.50; hens, 4.00@4.50; old ducks, 4.00@5.00; young, —; geese, 1.25@1.50; old pigeons, 1.50@1.85; young, 1.50@2.00.

Game—Cottontail rabbits, 1.25; hare, 1.00; gray geese, 1.50; white, 50.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Silver bars, 67⅞c.; Mexican dollars, 54¾c.@55¼c.; drafts, sight, 5; drafts, telegraph, 10.

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Flour, quarter sacks, 4803; wheat, centals, 1665; barley, centals, 3045; oats, centals, 670; Oregon, 1205; beans sacks, 420; rye, centals, 400; potatoes, sacks, 2696; Oregon, 2192; onions, sacks, 10; Oregon, 254; Nevada, 225; bran sacks, 2460; middlings, sacks, 19; hay, tons, 390; wool, bales, 879; wine, gallons, 46,200; hides, number, 461; raisins, boxes, 800.

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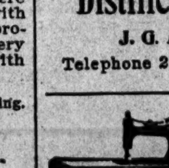

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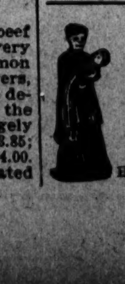

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SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY.

A PECULIAR VERDICT IN A LIQUOR TRIAL.

Republican Primaries Held Throughout the County—No Contest Outside of Redlands and Colton. Physicians to Testify in the Huse Case.

SAN BERNARDINO, April 18.—(Regular Correspondence.) The difficulty of getting convictions in liquor cases has often been noted, but this city has just given an illustration of more than ordinary interest. John Tomicich was arrested for selling liquor without a license. He runs a restaurant, and the saloons are trying to suppress illegal selling of liquor in defense of themselves. A detective testified that he had bought drinks a number of times in the place. When put upon the stand a waiter, a nephew of Tomicich, admitted serving the liquor. Tomicih testified that he had ordered his waiters to serve no liquor to any one. The jury brought in a verdict of acquittal. When Recorder Haile asked the jurymen if that was their verdict, J. I. Baxter said it was not his. It was then developed that during all the ballots in the jury room there had been a division, the majority being for acquittal. Gradually the minority dwindled down until but one ballot was cast for conviction, and none of the others could find out who cast that ballot. It was then voted to let the majority rule, but Mr. Baxter did not withdraw his ballot, and it was not until he repudiated the verdict in open court that the other members of the jury knew who stood out alone. The jury was sent out again and failed to agree. The testimony was so direct aginst Tomicich that the failure to convict was a complete surprise.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES.

Primaries are being held in all the precincts of the county today by the Republicans, and nothing is known here of any contest in any of the precincts, unless it be in Redlands and Colton, where the A.P.A. seems to have control. In this city everything is quiet, and it is not known that there is more than one ticket in each precinct. It is thought that throughout the county the vote will be favorable to H. H. Sinclair as delegate to the national convention. All other candidates have evidently withdrawn from the contest. The positon taken by Mr. Sinclair is willingness to carry out any instructions he may receive, being non-committed as to his personal preferences.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

Albert Keithly and Miss Susan Chute will be married Sunday at the residence of Austin Chute in this city.

The Times-Index Presidential poll stands as follows: First choice—McKinley, 75; Reed, 23; Allison, 3; Cullom, 2; Morton, 1; Linton, 1. Second choice—McKinley, 16; Reed, 37 ;Allison, 19; Cullom, 5; Morton, 1; Quay, 2; Lincoln, 3; Linton, 1.

Dr. W. W. Hitchcock, Dr. H. G. Brainerd and Dr. R. Wernigk of Los Angeles, specialists on brain disorders, have been subpoenaed to testify in the Huse case on Thursday next.

George Bryant of this city was recently reported to have been very seriously injured in El Dorado county. His injuries were but slight.

A marriage license was today issued to Edward H. Mulligan of Chicago and Miss Amy Stillman of Redlands. Miss Stillman is a sister-in-law of F. P. Morrison and a daughter of the late Dr. Stillman, at one time family physician of Senator Stanford. Mr. Mulligan was formerly of Redlands.

THE JUDGE HUSE CASE.

SAN BERNARDINO, April 18.—The case of Judge Huse on writ of habeas corpus in which petition sets forth that he is illegally confined in the insane asylum at Highland, has been before the Superior Court for a hearing several times. At the last hearing it was continued until next Thursday in order to call expert witnesses to testify as to Huse's mental condition. Subpoenas have been issued for Drs. W. W. Hitchcock, H. C. Brainerd and R. Wernigk, of Los Angeles. The case is a remarkable one. Throughout the several sittings of the court, Judge Huse has acted as counsel for himself and has cross-examined witnessess, testified on the witness stand and argued law pointts with a calmness and perspicuity rarely found in an ordinary lawyer, and without a break indicating unsoundness of mind. Yet the officials of the asylum persist in declaring him insane. The fact that the court has given and continues to give the case the most careful scrutiny shows at least that the presiding Judge Otis proposes to probe the case to the bottom.

REDLANDS.

REDLANDS, April 18.—(Regular Correspondence.) The High-School Board of Trustees met this morning witht the Redlands, Lugonia and Crafton grammar school trustees present by invitation. The matter of promotions from the grammar schools to the High School was thoroughly canvassed. A change made in the course of study by the County Board of Education in March has brought up difficulties which will interfere with promotions to the High School unless some concessions are made by the County Board.

The Republican primaries were quietly conducted this (Saturday) afternoon. It is thought a solid A.P.A. delegation will be chosen to the county convention. So far as can be learned this delegation is by no means unfriendly to McKinley. In fact, it is believed he is the first choice of the majority of the delegation. It is notable, however, that new blood is brought forth, the delegation including scarcely one of the old war horses of the party, if judgment can be formed before the voting is finished.

A case showing the waste of money in courts is the failure to convict Elmer Sadler, accused of jumping a board bill. The Supervisors tried to prevent the arrest on account of the expense of hunting up the man, who had gone to Northern California, and against whom the evidence was very weak, but the complaining witness insisted. The case cost the county $200 and the jury failed to agree, when the case was dismissed.

The following residences are now in course of erection: Mrs. I. Alder, $5000; Irwin Runyeon, $2500; C. C. Beard, $600; J. Wessel, $500; C. L. Clock, $2000; W. D. Clark, $4000; H. H. Pettit, $4000; J. M. Lynn, two cottages, $1000; T. S. Holliday, $1500; Mr. Stewart, Mound City, $4000; Mr. Davis, Mound City, $4000; W. A. Miller, Mentone, $2000; Mr. Wade, $2500; Mr. Gay, $2000. Total, $35,600.

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Redlands was visited today (Saturday) by the Nevada Press Association, a party of jolly people who were taken for a drive over the city.

Mrs. Abbie R. French, wife of Charles E. French, died here today. The funeral will occur Sunday at 2:30 p.m. from the family residence.

The cannery subscriptions have passed the $4000 point, and it is thought there is no longer any doubt that the full $5000 will be raised, though it comes very slowly.

The Southern Pacific Company has arranged to put in an automatic alarm bell at the crossing of their road on Orange street.

HOTEL MEN APPRECIATIVE.

REDLANDS, April 17.—The following address to the people of California has been issued by the hotel men, now touring this part of the State:

"We, as individuals, as a delegation, and as an association, were never before entertained in such royal style as we have been since reaching this shore. Each day has seemed granted than the day before, whole cities and towns give up their occupation to do us honor, receptions follow upon banquets, lunches and drives until today, at Pasadena, we received a reception by the citizens of that place which cannot, we are sure, be surpassed during the balance of our trip.

"It seems as if every man who has settled here from New England, vied with each other in showering upon us the product of this Garden of the Gods. Words cannot express the decorations of the interior of our special train. Thousands of roses, lilies, pansies, orange blossoms, literally filled the aisles until one would think they were in a florist's hothouse. Would that all Boston and New England were with us. We take this opportunity of telling our many friends in New England what California is doing for us. This message has been sent free, as have been all our business, social and personal telegrams, through the courtesy of the Western Union, which has extended, through their representatives, Superintendent Jaynes and C. S. Norton, the use of their lines.

"Thanking you in advance for giving this space in your esteemed paper, we are yours very truly.

"New England delegation H.M.M. B.A., George H. Bowker, chairman; William W. Davis, secretary."

SANTA MONICA.

Early Morning Fire—Sudden Death of a Child.

SANTA MONICA, April 18.—(Regular Correspondence.) The town was aroused at 2;30 o'clock this morning by an alarm of fire. The burning building was on the north side of Railroad avenue, between Second and Third streets. The house was unoccupied and but partially stocked with furniture. The building was of light construction and burned very rapidly. The department responded to the alarm and succeeded after a fierce fight, in saving adjacent buildings. The loss will amount to perhaps $300. The buildings belonged to the McNally estate. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

A CHILD'S SUDDEN DEATH.

Coroner Campbell held an inquest this mornig in the case of the death of the child of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Alvord, who live on Second street, between Arizona and Nevada avenue. It appeared the boy was 4 months old, and had been ordinarily well up to a short time before its death. It was left alone in a room for about an hour Friday afternoon, but the people did not leave the house. It was found dead. The indications pointed to convulsions, and the jury rendered a verdict to that effect. It is thought the convulsions were due to a stomach disorder, which was not apparent before death.

BREVITIES.

W. A. Spalding and family, formerly of Los Angeles, have taken a house at the southerly end of Ocean avenue and will remain for several months.

The new Santa Monica hotel has been opened.

The Santa Fé will run special trains from April 22 to 25, inclusive, to accommodate visitors to the Los Angeles fiesta. A train will leave Santa Monica at 6:30 p.m. and returning, leave Los Angeles at 11 p.m.

Registered at the Arcadia are: Mrs. J. B. Cosby, New York; Mrs. C. S. Walton and three children, with maid, and Thomas Y. England and wife, Philadelphia.

Among the guests at the Jackson are: John Slackwell, L. C. Beveley and Thomas Gradley, Chicago; Frank From, Shelby, Iowa; W. H. Landers, Chicago.

The second half of city and county taxes will become delinquent at 6 p.m. April 27. The penalty on city taxes remaining unpaid after that time will be 5 per cent. additional.

The Board of Trustees will meet Monday evening to canvass the return of the recent city election and transact other business. It is expected the new board will be seated but it may not do any business.

COLTON.

COLTON, April 18.—(Regular Correspondence.) The primaries today are passing off quietly. It is generally expected that the delegates elected to the county convention will have an A. P.A. coloring, if not solidly of that faith.

Petty thieving is one of the nuisances to which the people of Colton are obliged to submit. This is probably due, in a great measure, to the large number of tramps who pass through the town.

The News has compiled the following figures showing the good income of the people of Colton:

The daily procession of laborin-men going to work at the cement works carrying their dinner-pails, reminds one of a mining camp. The cement works has a pay-roll of $3000, which helps to make Colton the lively little town that she is. The News claims, and can easily prove, that there is more money handled in Colton per month, than there is in any other town this side of Los Angeles in proportion to her size. The Southern Pacific alone pays 180 men off here monthly, and the Fruit Exchange packing-house has nearly thirty employes, who receive from $50 to $75 per month each, according to the swiftness with which they work, as most of them are employed on piecework.

Then there is the Colton cannery, which employs over 300 men, boys and girls, during the canning season, with a pay-roll of about $2500 a week, besides the money they pay to our fruitgrowers.

The Suman mill brings in a large amount for flour, and the sum paid for wheat makes the wheels of business glide more smoothly.

The Santa Fé depot has thirty-six men on its pay-roll, who receive over $2500 monthly.

The Colton Marble and Lime Company, whose quarries are situated on the south side of Slover Mountain, have recently started up with twelve or fifteen men.

In addition to the above Colton has her income from oranges, fruit, grapes, honey, raisins, almonds, walnuts and peanuts, cattle, sheep, hogs, etc.

ORANGE COUNTY.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES HELD THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY.

"Yaps" Win at Baseball—Tuesday Convention Day—A New Trial Wanted for Southern—Trout Fishermen Return from Hot Springs—Notes.

SANTA ANA, April 18.—(Regular Correspondence.) There never has been so much interest taken in caucuses and primaries in Santa Ana and Orange county as in those just past. The caucuses Friday evening were almost like elections, and the primaries today in a number of instances brought out almost the entire strength of the party. The cause attributed is the desire of the rank and file voter to express himself in favor of "Prosperity's advance agent," Maj. William McKinley of Ohio. So far as learned, the following delegates were chosen at the primaries today to attend the county convention next Tuesday:

Santa Ana: First Ward—Capt. J. H. Hall, John McFadden, C. F. Mansur, S. Hill. Second Ward—O. E. Mansur, George L. Wright, H. Fairbanks, H. E. Smith. Third Ward—E. B. Smith, Green McClay, J. A. Hankey, W. F. Lutz. Fourth Ward—C. M. Nash, E. D. Waffle, James P. Browne, E. D. Atwood. Fifth Ward—John Mitchell, M. L. Lane, Robert McFadden, Albert Lee.

Orange—S. Armor, S. M. Craddick, D. C. Pixley, C. J. Wells, A. H. Clark, R. Y. Williams.

Anaheim—George E. Boyd, C. E. Groat, E. B. Merritt, Fred Smythe, Frank S. Hanley.

West Anaheim—C. A. Norman, E. Barr, John Marten.

Tustin—H. K. Snow, V. V. Tubbs, D. H. Thomas, W. B. Lewis, S. W. Preble.

Fullerton—W. L. Hale, C. W. Alms, E. H. Stone, J. H. Hunter.

Olive—T. L. Mundell, L. Small, T. E. Stanley, B. C. Baker.

Westminster—O J. Buck, R. E. Larter, Luther Armstrong, Josiah McCoy.

Garden Grove—W. A. Beckett, J. W. Hill, William McCullough, John Reaman.

San Joaquin—J. W. King, H. A. Isner.

THE YAPS WIN.

The first of a series of three games between the two baseball aggregations in this city was played at Athletic Park this afternoon before an enthusiastic audience. The two clubs are known by the somewhat euphonious titles of Yaps and Alfalfas. No person should imagine for one brief moment that the names of either of these clubs interferes in any way whatever with their base hits and home runs, for in such supposition they would be entirely wrong. The Yaps and the Alfalfas both know how to play ball, and they attend strictly to business when they get at it.

In today's game, however, the Yaps were the lucky fellows and they defeated the Alfalfas by the decided score of 13 to 6.

The series of games is being played between the two clubs to decide which one of them is entitled to be known as the first or best club. The next game will be played May day. Following are the players and their positions:

Yaps.		Alfalfas.
Clement	catcher	Mefford
Baker	pitcher	Mallet, F.
Hickey, W.	first base	Peters
Reed	second base	Mallett, C.
Mosbaugh	third base	Hazleton
Wood	short stop	Harlin, Al
West	left field	Young
Hickey, B.	center field	Harvey
Hogle	right field	Austin

TUESDAY IS CONVENTION DAY.

The Republican County Convention will be held in Santa Ana, in Neill's Hall Tuesday, April 21, 1896, instead of the date previously published in The Times. Through some misappresension on the part of the informant of the correspondent of the Times, the date of the convention was previously given as Saturday, April 25. The hour of meeting is 10 o'clock a.m.

GRAY GARRETT SOUTHERN.

The attorneys for Gray Garret Southern today argued for a new trial for that individual before Judge Towner of the Superior Court. The attorneys ask for a new trial on the partial ground that the prisoner was removed from the courtroom by the Sheriff during the trial for a period of time, as much as ten minutes, during which time evidence in the case was taken. This, the attorneys argue, was not in regular form of law. At the conclusion of the argument Judge Towner took the matter under advisement until Friday, April 24.

ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES.

Frank Young, Will Watkins, Frank English and Tom Harlin, all of Santa Ana, have returned home from a two weeks' outing at San Juan Hot Springs. They report having inveigled over five hundred speckled beauties of the finny tribe out of the mountain brooks during their stay.

Dist.-Atty. Ballard has filed information with the Superior Court charging George Baldwin with the crime of rape upon the person of little Elizabeth Williams, an 8-year-old girl living at Bolsa, this county, and April 21, 1896, was set as the date for arraignment.

Little Ray, son of trustee W. S. Whitney, from the Second Ward, had the misfortune Friday to fall from te porch of the family residence and break one of his arms. A physician was called and the injury attended to in due time.

Sedgwick Post, G.A.R., in Santa Ana has selected an Executive Committee consisting of Messrs. I. N. Everett, T. J. Alexander, J. T. Nourse, J. Stine, and H. F. Stone, to take charge of Decoration day services to be held in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Root of Buffalo, N. Y., have been spending some time in Southern California. At the present time they are the guest of Mr and Mrs. J. D. Thomas of Tustin.

Linn L. Shaw of the Orange County Herald departed Saturday for San Francisco on an important business trip. He will probably be absent a week or ten days.

A demurrer to the answer in the case of the Tustin Fruit Association vs. the Earl Fruit Company, has been taken under advisement by Superior Judge Towner.

Miss Kate Flood, who has been a guest of the Burnham families at Orange for the past several months, left a few days ago for her home in Chicago.

Rev. W. P. Haworth pastor of the Church of the Golden Rule at Long Beach, will preach in G.A.R. Hall, Santa Ana, Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lewis of Santa Ana have ben in Pomona the past several days in attendance upon the presbytery and incidentally visiting friends.

Misses Ethel and Mabel Freeman of Santa Ana entertained a few of their friends Friday evening at the home of their parents.

C. A. Rowan of Santa Ana has taken the civil service typographical examination in Los Angeles. He is a worthy young man.

Edith Mekeel has sold property in Anaheim in Vineyard Lot "A" 1 to Fannie Mekeel of Los Angeles for $2000.

Miss D. Marion Garton of Santa Ana will visit in Los Angeles during fiesta week as the guest of Miss Minnie Ward.

Count Bozenta was down to the county seat Friday from Arden. He reports Mme. Modjeska's health improving.

H. R. Levy of San Bernardino is in Santa Ana for a few days, the guest of his brothers on West Fourth street.

Paine Crozier of Tustin left a few days ago for San Francisco where he enters a school of pharmacy.

Censustaker John T. Nourse is now ascertaining the number of children in Santa Ana of school age.

George W. Hubbard has returned to his Tustin home from a business visit in Oregon.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

Receiving the Great Party of Hotel Men.

SAN DIEGO, April 17.—(Regular Correspondence.) The city is preparing for the reception of twenty-five carloads of hotel men this evening. They will remain here and at Coronado until Tuesday and enjoy a banquet at the big hotel, a reception at the Chamber of Commerce and drives about the city.

The annual county convention of the W.C.T.U. has concluded its two-day session at the Central Methodist Episcopal Church. Mrs. Nason, Mrs. Kimball, Mr. Stockney, Mrs. Holton and others read papers.

The libel suit of Dr. J. C. Hearne vs. San Francisco Chronicle will be heard June 1, unless another postponement is secured. It is about a year and a half since this suit was begun. Meanwhile, the plaintiff cooled his heels in a Missouri jail for some months and was then acquitted of the charge of murder.

W. C. Kimball and others agree to sell a part of Las Encinitas ranch to Seth Abbott for $31,000.

Jesse Grant is at the Picacho mines.

The Republican and Democratic county conventions are in session today.

The tug Santa Fé raised the sunken sloop Ethel G. on Friday. The bodies of the two lost mariners were not found aboard the wrecked craft.

The schooner Lottie Corson sailed for this port from Eureka with lumber on Wednesday.

George E. Mason of the Charleston, Ill., Courier, is here.

Harrison D. Barrett, president of the National Spiritualist Association, is here from Washington, D. C.

Officials of the Atlantic and Pacific road were looking about the city on Friday. The general superintendent, Arthur G. Wells, and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bangs, Gen. John G. McCullough, J. D. Probst, Otto T. Barnard, Henry L. Sprague and William Bassett lunched at Coronado.

C. W. Smith is at Santa Monica.

Lawyer Charles Monroe of Los Angeles is down here on legal business.

Miss Grace M. Dodge, New York; Miss L. C. Jarvis, Connecticut, are at Coronado.

The tug Santa Fé is attempting to raise the sloop Ethel G., which is sunk off Ballast Point. Gus Anderson and an unknown Swede are supposed to have been lost from this sloop a week ago. It is possible that the bodies of the men are aboard the submerged craft.

Fred R. Ingle and Miss Frances E. Arey, daughter of Capt. E. F. Arey of this city, were married at Tucson, Ariz., on Thursday.

There will be a rousing McKinley Club meeting at the Chamber of Commerce tonight.

HOTEL MEN ARRIVED.

SAN DIEGO, April 18.—(Special Dispatch.) Four hundred and twenty hotel men arrived on the excursion this afternoon. Trains were run to the ferry wharf. The guests were taken to Hotel del Coronado to pass Sunday, resting for the banquet and other entertainments on Monday.

CATALINA.

AVALON (Catalina Island,) April 18.—(Regular Correspondence.) Among the departing guests by this morning's steamer was the party of Towanda, Pa., ladies—Mmes. Rahm and Hildreth and the Misses Rahm, who have been spending a month at the Metropole and during that time have contributed much to the social life of the hotel The ladies have gone to Los Angeles to remain till after fiesta, locating at the Virginia on Olive street.

Mrs. C. A. MacDonell has gone over to the city to remain till after fiesta.

Mr. Gano will arrive at Avalon in a few days to throw open for the season his handsome home on the heights overlooking the bay—Lookout Cot. He proposes to keep open house and will entertain several gentlemen friends. His yacht, Osprey, is already here awaiting his arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheets, for a number of years residents at the barracks at the isthmus, have removed to Santa Monica and W S. Davis and family are in possession of the old government building, which they have put in comfortable shape.

The power yacht, San Diego, under command of Capt. Hayward, has arrived for the season.

Judge Banning has been entertaining his friend, C. Barmore of New York, for several days. On a fishing excursion Mr. Barmore was fortunate enough to haul in a twenty-pound yellowtail which, after passing through the department of the hotel, superintended by Mr. Wilding, graced the table as the piece de resistance of a dinner party given for Mr. Barmore.

The recently-appointed postmaster, W. S. Stanton, who succeeds Mr Carriher, has assumed his duties and removed the postoffice to a new building put up for the purpose just opposite his grocery.

Recent arrivals at the Metropole are Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bishorf, H. B. Sherman of Chicago, Paul E. Havens and Miss E. Havens of Leavenworth, Kan ; C. D. Daggett of Pasadena, H. M. Conger of Los Angeles, N. C. Craig, wife and three children of Vevay, Ind.

Mrs. May Cody Bradford, a sister of the famous Buffalo Bill, accompanied by her husband, E. Bradford, have been spending a week on the island, leaving this morning. Others of the party were Miss L. H. Nutting of Chicago, Mrs. J. E. Kolp of Denver, Mrs. O. M. Dunbar of Cleveland, O., Miss Ivie Buck of Los Angeles.

Recent arrivals at the Pasadena Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McNally, J. F. Main of Boston, C. H. Nickerson of Anaheim and M. J. Matthews of Los Angeles.

Capt. G. W. Remington returned to the island tonight after a visit of a few days in the city. He is located at his favorite stamping ground at the isthmus in a snug cabin. The captain has plans and specifications for a house-boat which he intends to build this summer and occupy the year round, mooring it at Catalina most of the time, with frequent expeditions up the rivers in duck-shooting season.

WARSHIP PHILADELPHIA

Will be at Redondo Beach Sunday, April 19. Admiral Beardslee will receive visitors at usual hours. Santa Fé trains leave La Grande Station 9:50 a.m. and 5:05 p.m. Excursion tickets, good returning Monday, 50 cents.

RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES CAPTURED BY THE A.P.A.

Street-railway Franchise Granted. A Park Given the City with a String Tied to It—A Sanitary District to Head Off Saloons from East Riverside.

RIVERSIDE, April 18.—(Regular Correspondence.) The Republican primaries are in session in Riverside today (Saturday.) Attendance at all of them is light. A prominent member of the A.P.A. in the city was interviewed in regard to the influence of the order at the primaries, and the prediction was made that there would be many surprised people when the result was known. When asked how the members stood in regard to Maj. McKinley, he said he believed the great majority of the A.P.As. preferred him above all other candidates. He recognized McKinley as a stalwart American, and believed the order would support him, regardless of what some eastern members of the order had to say against him.

CITY TRUSTEES.

The Riverside and Arlington Street Railway Company bid $50 for the franchise asked for, and deposited a certified check as guarantee of the giving of the required bond, at the Trustees' meeting Friday.

The Trustees refused to accept a deed to the park offered by S. C. Evans, that gentleman having coupled the deed to an agreement that he be permitted to drain the land and run pipes through it.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

It was necessary for County Clerk Condee to make a new register of the voters of East Riverside, and a portion of Riverside Heights for the election Monday next, on the creation of a sanitary district, the old Great Register having been ordered destroyed on the 15th.

M. McDonald, a real estate man, has begun suit against Mrs. Sarah Johnston for commission on the sale of the Johnston Block, for which a buyer had been found, previous to the sale of the property, by another real estate man, A. C. Christern.

Judge Crowe, attorney for the Good Hope mine at Perris, has received a telegram saying the District Court of New York has given the mining company judgment for $300,000 against J. A. Sigafus for misrepresentation, when he sold the mine to the company.

The Southern Pacific Company is understood to be planning for the erection of a beautiful depot on the corner of Eighth and Market streets.

A baseball game has been arranged between Cobb's colts of this city and the Redlands club, to take place in Riverside on April 27.

Fear is expressed that the county delinquent tax list will be unusually heavy this year. About $90,000 is still unpaid.

The Nevada Press Association visited Riverside today (Saturday,) taking in the beauties of the city.

Riverside division, uniformed rank, K. of P., will visit the fiesta in a body.

The papers are agitating for a big Fourth of July celebration.

POMONA.

Gov. Budd is not Coming—A Big Family.

POMONA, April 18.—(Regular Correspondence.) It is unlikely that Gov. Budd and his staff will be in Pomona next Tuesday evening, as has been partially announced they would be, when the annual inspection of Co. D, N.G.C., will take place. It is also unlikely that there will be any banquet at the Hotel Palomares on that occasion. It seems that Gov. Budd has never given any cause for the belief that he would be here next Tuesday night, and several of the over-enthusiastic members of the militia company jumped at the conclusion that the Governor would be here, because he was invited to do so, and the invitation was backed up by some urging by a number of our citizens. Co. D will be inspected at 8 p.m., next Tuesday, and when that exercise is over there will be a brief dancing party at the Hotel Palomares.

CHARGED WITH CRIMINAL NEGLECT.

Julius E. Ulber, who was charged by the Coroner's jury two weeks ago with criminal neglect of his little son, who died of diphtheria, while he and his wife prayed for his recovery and refused to permit the services of a physician or a nurse about the bed of the sick child, has been arrested by City Marshal Lorbeer, and will be tried before Justice Barnes next Monday at 10 a.m. The charge is criminal neglect, and under the California law that is a misdemeanor which may be punished by a fine not to exceed $500 or imprisonment for not more than six months. Ulber is very defiant. He says that he will go to San Quentin for the rest of his life rather than to permit any physician to prescribe for a member of his family or to have a dose of any medicine go down the throat of any one in his family circle. He still maintains that prayer and lots of it is the only medicine the Almighty ever planned for his children on earth. The Pomona people don't agree with Mr. and Mrs. Ulber by any means.

POMONA BREVITIES.

The second mass-meeting to discuss the proposition to issue $45,000 or $50,000 worth of city bonds in Pomona for the construction of a public sewer system will be held next Monday evening, April 20, instead of next Tuesday evening, when there will be other public meetings here. Kessler's Hall will be the place of the mass-meeting.

Charles L. Loud, who has been fishing on the creeks tributary to the San Antonio and San Gabriel Cañon streams, during the past week, says that never in his recollection has he seen the waters of the cañon and mountain streams so low as they are now. He thinks that unless a heavy rain or snow comes in the mountains in the next few weeks, several of tho creeks tributary to the San Gabriel Cañon will surely run dry next summer. The San Gabriel Cañon water furnishes Azusa and that region with an irrigation supply.

A San Francisco newspaper is offering a solid silver tea service to the parents of the greatest number of children born in California. Mr. and Mrs. Apolonario Martinez, recently of Pomona and now of Riverside, stands a good change of winning the prize. They have been blessed with twenty-two boys and girls, of whom fourteen now are living. But the wonder among the acquaintances of this remarkable family is what use the parents would ever do with a costly silver service, for it is more than likely neither Martinez nor his wife ever saw such a service, or would have the least idea what it all meant, for the husband and wife are poor, ignorant sheep herders.

The Pomona lodge of Odd Fellows will observe the anniversary of the founding of their order in America on Next Sunday, the 26th inst., by attendance at the Unitarion Church, when a special sermon will be preached by Rev. U. G. B. Pierce.

The new Southern Pacific Railroad depot has been begun at Lordsburg. It is just east of the Woodward ranch.

W. E. Collins, representative of the Southern California Fruit Exchanges in Chicago, will retire from his office on May 1, and will soon return to Ontario.

SOUTH RIVERSIDE.

SOUTH RIVERSIDE, April 18.—(Regular Correspondence.) George L. Jay of South Riverside, Cal., one of the originators of the South Riverside Colony enterprise, and since 1888 the president of the South Riverside Land and Water Company, died at 9 a.m., Saturday of cerebral apoplexy. He was stricken down Friday evening at about 8:30, and lay in an unconscious state until he died. It was largely through Mr. Joy's enterprise, foresight and money that the dry, barren South Riverside mesa was watered and converted into the present beautiful and prosperous colony. Mr. Joy was born in Vermont in 1832, and was a successful business man at St. Louis, Mo., and Sioux City, Iowa, before coming to California.

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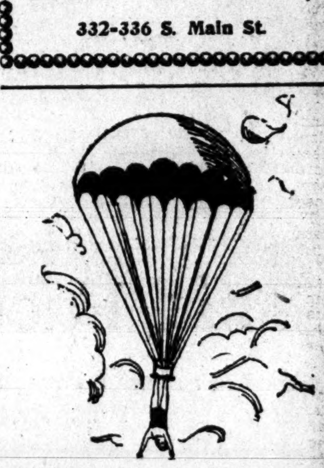

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